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BRELSFORD TELLS OF SLATER'S GRAFT

(By United Press.)

Columbus, March 15.—Every requisition made by Superintendent Lilley, of the state bindery during the time Mark Slater was superintendent was read to the jury by Lilley during his testimony today in the Slater graft trial before Judge Dillon.

The record of the requisitions was objected to by Attorney Mattox, for Slater, on the ground that it was personal memoranda and not a public record of the office. The objection was sustained by the court but the requisitions were nevertheless placed before the jury by referring to each entry in particular and allowing Lilley to refresh his memory from the record in his memorandum book.

Calmly and in an unimpassioned manner John E. Breisford took the stand in Judge Dillon's criminal court today and for more than two hours related in detail how he and his friend of twenty years standing, former state printer, Mark Slater, systematically raided the state out of $14,305.06 through a system of padding supply accounts and outright thievery.

Breisford made good as the star witness for the prosecution. Under the skillful lead of prosecuting attorney Karl T. Webber, and assistant Prosecutor McCoy he followed and elaborated upon the testimony originally given before the Beatty probe committee.

Slater, worn and tired looking, followed every word from the prisoner's mouth, sitting not ten feet away.

Webber scored a point for the state when he led Breisford to tell the jury of a hurried scrawl which he, Breisford, received from Slater on the day after he first came to Columbus to testify before the probe committee.

Breisford declared that he had torn it up, but that it read: "My dear Jack: For God's sake stand pat. I'll never show up in Columbus." Signed Mark.

The scene in the court room approached the dramatic. Slater showed the effect of his jail confinement. His wife and two pretty children were in court.

Breisford testified that he had never sold printing or bindery supplies before his transactions with Slater, and that he was so ignorant to the terms in which statements to the state should be certified, that Slater dictated every bill that was to be presented to the state.

Some Pencil Snapshots BY SHONK

BIG RAILROAD STRIKE SEEMS A SURE THING

(By United Press.)

Chicago, March 15.—The date for the beginning of the general strike of 27,000 firemen and enginemen on 49 western and southern railroads will be announced to the railroads general managers committee late today.

President W. S. Carter of the Brotherhood, remained in session all night, with a committee of that organization during which plans for the strike were discussed in detail. The decision to call a strike was reached after a final refusal by the railroads to grant the demands of the men.

The strike will probably not go into effect until the end of the week.

The strike will affect 49 railroads having an approximate mileage of 140,000 miles. 27,000 men whose monthly pay amounts to $1,600,000 will be effected. They comprise firemen, wipers and all yard men.

The principal roads effected are the Santa Fe, Northwestern, Alton & Burlington, the C., M. & St. Paul, Rock Island, Colorado Southern, the Great Northern, Illinois Central, the M. K & T., the Northern Pacific, the Oregon Short Line, the O. R. & N., the Frisco System and all southern and Union Pacific lines.

Railroads Ask For Mediation.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, March 15.—Mediation under the Erdman act has been requested in the controversy between the railway lines operating westward out of Chicago and their firemen and enginemen. Application for mediation was made by the railroads. The request will be granted

It is requested in the application made by the railroads that the mediators Chairman Knapp and Commissioner of Labor Neill enter into communication with President Carter of the Firemen's union, with a view to an amicable adjustment of the trouble. Knapp assured representatives of the general managers that he and Neill would take up the matter immediately.

Won't Wait On Mediation.

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, March 15.—The date and hour for calling the strike of firemen of the western railroads having been decided on, by Union officials today, the committee adjourned until this afternoon without announcing the time when the strike would be called.

President Carter of the union, said, in his opinion, the committee would order a strike regardless of mediation. He said a mediation proposition would undoubtedly be considered by the committee.

Railroads Can Cut Rates

(By Associated Press.)

Columbus, March 15.—Railroad companies will have free rein in making rates in competition with traction lines that parallel their lines in short stretches, according to a decision of the supreme court in the case of the railroad commission of Ohio versus the Hocking Valley railway company. The company had cut its rate on certain points to meet competition of a traction line and the commission held it must make a rate general along its line.

SUPREME COURT IN TWO SCIOTO CASES

Columbus, O., March 15.—By a decision of the Supreme court, affirming the Scioto county courts Carl McCoy loses his suit for $5,000 damages for an injury he sustained on a defective culvert against the county commissioners. He got $1,750 in Common Pleas court, but upon a second trial he got nothing.

The court also affirmed the Scioto courts in the case of Nelson W. Evans against the B. & O. S. W. Evans sued for $10,000 for the death of E. Ellworth Bazler, a fireman, who fell asleep on a track and was killed. The claim for damages was based on a claim that he had been kept on duty 17½ hours consecutively by the company. Evans loses his suit.

HOLLISTER SWORN IN

Cincinnati, March 15.—With impressive ceremonies, Howard Hollister was sworn in Tuesday morning as United States district judge.

Charles Turner, the Chillicothe street commission merchant, left for Cincinnati Tuesday where he will attend a large fruit auction.

Steamer Is Blown Up

Louisville, March 15.—By the explosion of the boilers of the steamer R. L. Aubrey, of Pittsburg, four miles above here Monday night, one man is dead, one missing and several badly injured.

The steamer was bound up river and the terrific explosion came while the vessel was in midstream. The pilot house was blown into splinters, the upper deck was carried away and almost immediately the boat sank. Its string of six empties was picked up by boats sent out from this city as a hasty relief expedition.

Sixteen men were aboard the craft when the explosion came. Lyman Varble, the pilot, was killed. Lewis Porter, a fireman, is missing. Captain Butterfield is at the point of death in a Jeffersonville hospital. He was blown from the cabin into the river. The explosion hurled half his boatmates into the stream with him.

C. & O. Deal Assured

Cincinnati, O., March 15.—Officials of the Chesapeake & Ohio in Cincinnati heard definitely on Tuesday that before the week is over, the deal will be completed whereby the Chesapeake & Ohio will obtain control of the Hocking Valley railway and the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern obtain control of the Toledo and Ohio Central. The Chesapeake & Ohio and the Lake Shore will jointly control the Kanawha and Michigan.

WESTON WAS 72 TUESDAY

(By United Press.)

Kinsley, Kan., Mar. 15.—Edward Payson Weston is 72 years old and is quietly celebrating the event at a point nine miles from here, having covered a mile for each year in his life, on his birthday, yesterday. Weston is now six days ahead of his schedule in his walk from Los Angeles to New York. He is in excellent condition.

Conference Has Agreed

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., March 15.—An agreement was reached today by the joint conference committee of the house and the senate on the dispute as to the provisions of the partial appropriation bill. There were two points in contention. An appropriation of $10,000 for the building commission of the Ohio State sanitorium at Mt. Vernon and $15,000 for the rebuilding of a lock and an acqueduct at the New Breman on the Miami and Erie canal. The conference committee agreed to eliminate the appropriation for a sanitorium and leave in the canal appropriation.

GOES TO JAIL FOR ROBBERY

(By Associated Press.)

Indianapolis, Mar. 15.—Paul C. Gall, a tobacco merchant, convicted of having aided Bookkeeper Emmerich, of the Capital National bank, of this city, in abstracting $40,000 of the bank's funds, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment by Judge Anderson, in the United States district court.

HOPE FOR END OF STREET CAR STRIKE

(By United Press.)

Philadelphia, March 15.—Negotiations to end the street car strike and with it all of the local labor troubles were resumed today. It is hoped the men can be ordered back to work within 24 hours. While nothing definite has been accomplished the preliminary conferences have swept many of the minor obstacles out of the way and both sides seem willing to make concession.

The general strike order issued to the grocery clerks last has not been generally obeyed. This is explained by the union men by saying the order was issued late and many of the men did not get it. They say it will be effective by tonight. The city is quiet today.

(By Associated Press.)

Philadelphia, March 15.—The fact that representatives of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company and officials of the Central Labor Union and Amalgamated Association of street and electric railway employes were brought together late yesterday, is expected to lead to some definite proposition upon which negotiations can be opened looking to a speedy settlement of the strike. All those in the conference declared themselves satisfied with the progress made. They expressed the hope of a speedy ending of the trouble.

Kellogg Roasted Standard Oil Co.

(By United Press.)

Washington, March 15.—Trust buster, Frank Kellogg, opened the government in the Standard Oil case before the supreme court this afternoon. Attorney Milburn had just finished a laudatory defense of Standard Oil saying in part:

"An organization which has had a continuous life of 40 years is before you—its life has been laid bare. While the public are clamoring about the alleged evils of the great corporation, who will tell the story of the wonderful work that it has done in extending the foreign trade of the United States."

Beginning his argument Kellogg said: "I shall tell some dry facts about Standard Oil history. It is not the 'short and simple annals of the poor.' We have heard that plaintive plea of the Standard commerce before."

With bitter irony, after calling attention to the way the oil trust overthrew all competition in Ohio, Kellogg went into the detailed history of the trust since its inception in 1870.

Corporation Tax In The Supreme Court

(By United Press.)

Washington, Mar. 15.—The brief of the government in the corporation tax cases was filed in the supreme court today. It was prepared by Solicitor General Lord Bowes in response to 14 defendant appeals against the imposition of this tax.

The government argument is not a direct tax upon the real or personal property of the corporation, but an excise upon the "carrying on or doing business" by such companies, and therefore needs apportionment among the states according to population under the examination.

Herrick Mum On Dinner With Taft

(By United Press.)

Cleveland, O., March 15.—Former Governor Myron T. Herrick, who is credited with the ambition to succeed United States Senator Dick in the next congress returned today from Washington where he lunched Monday with President Taft and Wade Ellis.

Herrick declined to discuss the White House luncheon, but admitted that Buckeye state politics was the principle topic under discussion.

It is said no effort will be made to interfere with Senator Dick if he insists on having a primary but no one else will contest with him for endorsement.

Miners Meeting At Cincinnati, O.

(By Associated Press.)

Cincinnati, O., Mar. 15.—When the special convention of the United Mine Workers of America was called to order here today, the operators and miners of the central competitive field were still far apart on the wage scale.

The convention was called to accept or reject the terms expected to be agreed upon by their respective representatives and the operators of Ohio, Indiana and western Pennsylvania.

It is understood if an agreement for the central field is reached, it will be a basis for similar agreements of other operators in other states. How long the miners' convention will be in session is problematical. Today's session was taken up with welcoming addresses and the appointment of committees.

(By United Press.)

Cincinnati, O., March 15.—With the opening of the convention with the United Mine Workers of America in Turner hall the controversy between operators and employees was taken up by 1200 delegates whose voices will be factors in reaching a final decision. After a report of the credential committee had been made and the program of the meeting outlined the session adjourned to await the announcement of the sub-scale committee decision.

COL ROOSEVELT IN KHARTOUM

(By United Press.)

Khartoum, Mar. 15.—Colonel Roosevelt, with Mrs. Roosevelt, his son, Kermit, and his daughter, Miss Ethel, motored about Khartoum today and a happier family could not have been found.

"I don't know which is harder, struggling through the jungles of Africa, or meeting the demands of a return to civilization," replied Roosevelt today, when the mass of accumulated mail was presented to him. His mail is so heavy that no attempt will be made to answer it at this time.

ARE CHARGED WITH MURDER OF FERGUSON

Ironton, O., March 15.—A sensation was created here, late on Tuesday afternoon, when warrants were issued for the arrest of Anna Burns, Fairfax Thomas and Charles Clark, charged them with the murder of Edward Ferguson, colored. They are now in jail.

Ferguson was killed Saturday, his body being found along the railroad tracks and his death reported by the three persons named above, who stated that he had been run down by a street. The coroner held an inquest over the remains, Tuesday, and discovered, wounds about the colored man's head that were inflicted with some blunt instrument, whereupon he rendered a verdict that Ferguson had come to his death at the hands of Anna Burns, Fairfax Thomas and Charles Clark. They are being held without bond.

Schmotzer Will Die

Ashland, Ky., March 15.—(Special to The Times).—The condition of Frank Schmotzer, a former resident of Portsmouth, who was shot in an Ashland resort, Sunday by Burns Hensley, is very precarious and it is feared he will not survive the night. The attending physicians have not attempted to locate the bullet, which they think had lodged in the spine, as it entered the breast just above the top vest button and plowed its way straight through. There is but little hope held out and should he recover it is thought he would be a hopeless paralytic.

Pensioner Is Robbed

Excitement was caused at the home of William Moore, an aged Mill street citizen, Tuesday morning, when it was discovered that some one had entered the home and stolen a sum of money in excess of $50.00.

Mr. Moore, it seems, had just had his pension check cashed, and all he had spent of the sum was $5.00 for one month's rent. The balance of the money which was in bills, he carried in his pocket. On retiring Monday night he placed his pantaloons on a chair near the bed. When he awakened, Tuesday morning he found his pants missing and immediately raised an alarm. The trousers with pockets rifled were found in the kitchen, through the door of which the robber had entered. The case has been placed in the hands of the police and they expect to make an arrest shortly.

Joseph Distel is back from a three days' trip to Harrisonville and Wheeler's Mills.

I see by the papers Dan'l Webster is "sore" on them lobbyists. I'm with Dan'l there. Ain't got no use at all for them lobby fellers. I'm clean pestered to death with 'em myself hangin' around wantin' weather legislation and I don't blame Dan'l a bit for lettin' out a howl. Here's my weather dope for tomorrow:

Ohio, Indiana and West Va. — Fair, warmer tonight and Wednesday.

HARRY LUKE WINS CASE

Harry B. Luke won in his first legal suit with Thomas H. McCann before Judge W. H. Middleton in common pleas court on Tuesday. McCann filed a petition a couple of weeks ago asking that Luke be compelled to give bond for the payment of the rental of the premises the coming season.

Judge Middleton after hearing the arguments on both sides stated the question in dispute took on the following form. Does Luke have a right to the premises or does he not have a rigat to them?

As there was no provision in the contract that Luke should give bond for the payment of the rentals, the motion was overruled. He said that if in hearing the case later it was decided that Luke was illegally holding the premises, that the court would then and there oust him from possession, but if from the testimony it was decided that the contract was still binding that arrangements could then be made for securing the rentals.

McCann and Luke had a contract to the effect that after the first year from March 1, 1908, to March 1, 1909, the parties were suited that the contract should be extended for three or five years. Luke occupied the farm during the season March 1, 1909 to March 1, 1910, under this agreement and insists in holding it another year under the same contract.

CETONE BILL APPROVED

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., March 15.—The Cetone bill, which provides for the creation of a state depository commission was approved by the judiciary committee of the senate after it had been amended to allow the commission to ask for bids for the state deposit for two year bids instead of one year as provided in the original bill.

VOTES TO KILL LOBBY, BUT HAS LOOP HOLE

Columbus, O., March 15.—The house voted to exclude labbyists from its corridors and smoking rooms but—each member has the right to invite any friends he chooses to either place. And so the lobby will flourish.

A NEX-RESIDENT PASSES AWAY

News of the death of Ira Farley, a former Portsmouth man, which occurred at East Chicago Tuesday morning, was received here at noon in a message to a relative. He was 41 years of age and his death was caused from pneumonia after a brief illness.

Mr. Farney resided here for a number of years and was employed by Kelly Brothers and only left here about a year ago. He was quite well known and was a brother of Mrs. Harry Powers of East Seventh street, who was at his bedside when he passed away.

He is survived by a wife and three children. The remains will be buried at Garrett ,Ind., Wednesday.

It was a brother of his, Nelson Farley, that met such a tragic death underneath the wheels of a C. & O. train near Garrison several yeaars ago.

GUN USER IS UNDER GUARD

(By United Press.)

Martins Ferry, March 15. —(Special to The Times).—Guards have been thrown around the county jail at this place to prevent an enraged mob from taking the law into their own hands and lynching Emmanuel Robinson, colored, who shot and fatally wounded Sol. Edwards, a prominent labor leader, Monday. So far the guards have held the mob in check, but it is feared with the approach of night-fall the colored prisoner will fall into their hands as the sentiment here is very strong against him. He came here as a strike breaker.

Has Shamrocks.

The New Idea Clothing company has received a supply of shamrocks and will present one to each gentleman caller at the store Wednesday.

Chased Out of Town.

Chief Davidson overhauled a bunch of Southern negroes on Twelfth street Tuesday forenoon just as they were starting out on a begging expedition and chased them out of town.

Locals Open Season At Chillicothe, Ohio

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., March 15—(Special to The Times.)—At a meeting of the magnates of the Ohio State League now in session at the Neil house, May 6th was decided upon as the opening date of the league and Portsmouth will open the season by meeting Chillicothe in the ancient metropolis. The schedule for the opening day is as follows: Kenova at Piqua, Portsmouth at Chillicothe, Lancaster at Newark, Lima at Marion.

Piqua, Ohio was granted a franchise in the name of the Piqua Amusement Co., and Mansfield was turned over to the Ohio State League. The games at Piqua will be played at Midway Park, an equal distance from Piqua and Troy, the last named city of 8,000 inhabitants being the seat of Miami county. Piqua is a city of 14,000 and a hot bed of fans. The magnates are congratulating themselves upon the accession of this city.

Mike Roach met President Gableman and Vice President York and after a ten minutes conversation affixed his name to a contract and will manage the team. He gave out an interview in which he said he hoped to give the Peerless City a winner. He is a fine looking fellow and the Portsmouth magnates are very favorably impressed with his appearance. He will be in Portsmouth Tuesday evening. Conwell, infielder, has signed a Portsmouth contract. The meeting is still in progress at 4 o'clock.

MURDER CASE IS REACHED TODAY

The cases of Fred Ferguson and Mrs. Sarah Hill-Higgins who are jointly accused of the murder of Will Culbertson at South Portsmouth, Ky., was reached by the grand jury at Greenup at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

The jury was investigating another case an dit was said there was some doubt if the murder case would be finished by night. There are many witnesses on the ground ready to be examined as to their knowledge of the killing of the former C. & O. ticket agent among them many from Portsmouth and South Portsmouth.

Mrs. Hill will be brought to Greenup from Boyd county jail at Catlettsburg and is said to be anxious for her trial to begin, declaring that she will be able to establish her innocence.

Among the witnesses from here is Dr. S. P. Fetter, C. and O. surgeon at this point, who went to Greenup on the noon train. He will testify to Culbertson's wounds. It is understood that Mrs. Sarah Sheets, wife of Rolly Sheets, is one of the new witnesses subpoenad since the preliminary hearing of the suspects was held some months ago. She is expected to corroborate the statements of Martha Dowd to whom Mrs. Higgins is alleged to have confided the story of her connection with the alleged crime.

At 4 o'clock the grand jury has it is considered certain that indictments will be returned.

Child Dead Of Convulsions

J. Perham, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Sohner, died early Tuesday morning from convulsions.

The child was only four days of age, having been born Friday. The family sorrowfully followed the remains to the grave Tuesday afternoon.

Joins Divorce Colony.

Reno, Nev., March 15.—Virginia Harned Sothern, accompanied by Miss Margaret Gordon, also an actress of considerable fame, arrived in Reno Monday. She is seeking a divorce.

Report About Fight.

A report was making the rounds Tuesday morning, that in a big fight near Lucasville, Monday night, one of the principals had been cut to ribbons. According to three or four people living in Lucasville, there was no fight at that place.

THRIFTY CALEB GOT $500 FOR A SPEECH

Lexington, Ky., March 15.—Spice has been added to the contest between Caleb Powers and D. C. Edwards for the Republican nomination for congressman from the Eleventh Kentucky district by the publication of a charge that Powers demanded and received $500 for a speech at Paintsville, Ky., two years ago, in favor of Edwards. Powers admits getting the $500 but says it was for a lecture.

House Has Rose Law Amendment

Columbus, O., March 15.—(Special) The House refused to commit the Howard bill, which is the Dean bill re-introduced, to the Cities committee and by vote of 56 to 42, and sent it to the temperance committee, which will kill it.

This is a test of the strength of the wet and dry forces in the House and indicates no liquor legislation can get through.

Senator Deaton introduced a bill providing for Mayors to appoint city solicitors, instead of having them elected.

BLAKE.

Columbus, O., March 15.—Quite as an important happening was the introduction of the amendment to the Rose County local option law, exempting from the provisions of that prohibitory statute all cities contained in counties voting upon the subject of the ousting of the saloons in the House on Monday evening. It was presented by Representative Robert Howard, of Licking County, whose home is in Newark.

A denial is made that it is offered in the House for the purpose of placing upon record the members of that body, as was done in the instance of the Dean bill, defeated in the Senate last week. It is expected that there is to be a contest waged upon the reference of this measure when it comes up for second reading. Its friends want it submitted to the Committee on Cities, while those opposing will vote to send it to the Committee on Temperance, which leads to the dry side of these question.

LUKE ANSWERS THE QUESTION

Harry B. Luke who was ordered sent to jail some time ago for contempt of court for refusing to answer some questions before Attorney Cecil Miller, as notary public, in proceedings to get certain testimony which was wanted by Thomas H. McCann, and who was refused the writ of habeas corpus last week by the circuit court, appeared before Mr. Miller Tuesday afternoon and answered the questions asked by McCann's attorney, Captain Evans. Thus ends the proceedings so far as the habeas corpus proceedings are concerned.

TO BUILD STORE ROOM AT POND RUN SOON.

M. T. Phillips, postmaster and merchant at Pond Run, was a business visitor in Portsmouth Tuesday.

Mr. Phillips is planning to build a fine new store room to accomodate his growing business. The building will be of two stories, the upper floor to be used as a public hall and work on the new building wil lbegin soon.

Mr. Phillips reports that an epidemic of measles is sweeping over that section.

To Join Husband.

Mrs. Kendall Monroe left Tuesday for Buffalo, Montana, to join her husband who is located there on a ranch and where they will make their future home.

EMPLOYERS LIABILITY BILL SEEMS DOOMED

Columbus, O., March 15.—Discussion in the house Monday evening seemed to foreshadow the defeat of the employers liability bill when it comes up for passage.

TO UNDERGO OPERATION

Mrs. Katherine Doerr, the widowed mother of Fred, Emil and Lou Doerr, went to Columbus on Tuesday to undergo a surgical operation similar to the one she had performed two years ago. Her son Louis accompanied her to the Capital City.

Will Cost $1400.

The coming special election on an additional high school bond issue will cost about $1400 according to some figuring done by election officials Tuesday. That amount will cover the cost of registration and everything else.

Is Not Sick.

Despite reports to the contrary Monsignor A. Nonnen pastor of St. Mary's, is enjoying good health and visited a down town barber shop Tuesday. He did suffer with a slight attack of lumbago last week.

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The Wesleys Are Home

Wes Stemshorn and wife, Mrs. Una Lynn Stemshorn, known on the vaudeville stage as the Wesleys, arrived here from Chicago Monday evening for a visit to relatives. They expect to resume their tour next week.

Sells Fine Piano.

Mr. James Mitchell, 119 West Third street, purchased a fine Hamilton piano from Floyd E. Stearns, local representative of the Baldwin Co. It is certainly a fine instrument.

Oscar Ruark Was Sued

John Jefferson has brought suit against Oscar Ruark in Squire Hall's court for $40 claiming to be due him for a commission in the sale of a lot on New Fifth to W. D. Horr. Ruark denies that there was any agreement with Jefferson.

Twin Babies.

The stork left twins, a boy and girl at the home of Joseph R. Turner, a farmer near Wheelersburg, Tuesday morning.

IS BANKRUPT

It is stated that a certain man in this city held a petition in voluntary bankruptcy in the United States court at Cincinnati Monday. Referee Mark A. Crawford refused to give his name when asked to do so by the Times, but added that the assignement would not create any flurry in financial circles.

Ferry Bill Passes House

Representative Day, author of the bill not requiring franchises to operate franchises in Kentucky, was in the city a few hours Tuesday. He reported the bill as having passed the legislature by a vote of 56 to 6. While here he was the guest of Capt. Williamson, of the Chesapeake.

D. F. Creekbaum, Piano Dealer, 119 East Fourth street.

To Watch New Road.

Henry Sheets, the Pond Run rural mail carrier, has laid off for the week in order to be present while that proposed new road is being viewed. Henry Pilsen is covering the mail route in his stead.

Capt. White Better.

Commodore White, who was injured in a collision with Dr. Moore's automobile several days ago, is improving slowly at the Hempstead hospital, and hopes to be able to leave that institution within the next few days. He is still unable to support his own weight.

Mr. Clark Home.

Philo S. Clark and wife, whose sojourn at Pinehurst, N. C., was cut short by the death of the former's aged mother at Newcastle, Pa., returned home Sunday.

Miss Margaret Jackson, of East Ninth street, is a victim of an aggravated attack of the grip.

Many Men Propose To Bayonne Girl In Letters

New York, March 15.—Not yet eighteen years old, Miss Katharyn Carr, one of the pretty maidens at the Irish Fair, held in Madison Square Garden two years ago, is being swamped with offers of marriage. She blames it all on a photograph of her published at the time and wants it known that she is not looking for a husband and threatens to publish the love letters of those who write her if they do not desist.

Miss Carr lives at No. 19 West Twenty-first street, Bayonne, and every day brings her a large bundle of mail. The letters are from farmers, lawyers, brokers an Italian painter, a marine engineer, a physician, a moving picture man and an actor. In fact, most every profession and trade is represented by the men who have written to her.

"I'm too young to marry," says the young woman, "and do not know the meaning of love, and I don't want to marry. These writers would better stop sending me letters, or I will give them to the newspapers, with their pictures. One South Carolina planter says I look just like his ideal of a Southern lady, and he will never marry any one if I don't marry him.

MISS KATHRYN CARR

IS TO RETAIN COMMISSION

Cincinnati, O., Mar. 15.—The strongest opposition to the Woods utility bill, that of the freight shippers, may be removed. Their contention for the retention of the state railroad commission, is to be conceded.

Representative Frank Woods, of Medina, who has charge of the bill and the maneuvers for its passage, last night practically decided to accept an amendment to enlarge the scope of the railroad commission and place it in control of all utilities instead of creating a new utilities commission.

ORDERS CHANGES

The state inspector of public buildings has ordered some changes made at the McDermott church and school house, among other things, the doors must swing out instead of in, and a fire escape erected on Hulitt's hall, which is used for school purposes.

NEIGHBORS COMPLAIN

On the complaint of neighbors, James Fultz residing at 230 West Third street, was ordered to appear in police court Tuesday and explain the cause of his permitting a nuisance about his property.

Has The Mumps.

Joan Roth, Sr., manager of Joe Schaefer's branch store, is in receipt of a letter from his son-in-law, Walter Heid, in which he tells of nursing a bad case of mumps. Walter is employed in a large store at Denver, Colo.

Find a Suit Case.

A suit case was picked up on West Second street Monday afternoon which the loser may recover by calling at Fuller's undertaking establishment.

INJURED FIREMAN CONTINUES TO IMPROVE

William Ratliff, the N. & W. fireman, who had his skull fractured at McDermott several weeks ago, continues steadily improving at Hempstead hospital.

D. F. Creekbaum, Piano Dealer, 119 East Fourth street.

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walden, of Scioto-ville, Monday evening.

Invitations have been issued by the L. S. club, of the high school, to a dance at Elk parlors, after P. H. S.-C. H. S. debate Friday evening. Music by Bode's orchestra and dancing fro 11 until 2. Don Brown, Charles Nichols, D. Gardner, Roy Horn and Ben Hitchcock are the committee in charge.

William Ray, who fell down a stairway Sunday dislocating a shoulder and breaking an arm, is reporting resting easier.

Mrs. John Seymour, of West Seventh street, is reported very ill with bronchitis.

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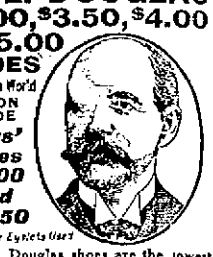

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—FOR SALE BY—

CHARLES WINTER

The Portsmouth Cap company expects to have its new plant at South Portsmouth built entirely of concrete, in operation within three weeks.

Mrs. P. C. Sharp, of 520 Robinson avenue, is convalescent from an attack of typhoid fever.

BUYS AN AUTO

Dr. Martin is the latest to enter the ranks of autoists, he having purchased a Ford runabout from the Friel garage Tuesday morning, and within a few minutes had the machine under perfect control.

Father J. E. McGuirk is in Cincinnati on business.

Miss Blanche Doyle has resigned as bookkeeper at the Steinkamp furniture store.

David Stander, the hardware man, Tuesday received a latest model Richmond touring car.

AFTER THE TURN DOWN.

He—I shan't be able to live for thinking of you.

The Heiress—You won't have time to. You'll be too busy working!

Contrast.

The human being chants of spring
And 'customed toil doth sing.
The microbe doesn't stop to sing
But settles down to work.

—T. E. M.

JUST FOR WEDNESDAY

WE CLOSE AT 6 O'CLOCK EXCEPT TUEDAY AND SATURDAY.

The extraordinary and continued increase in our business is the best evidence that our prices are right and the quality of our goods just what the thrifty house wife wants. Every week our sales grow better. The reason is simply this — we never sacrifice the quality in order to lower the price. You always know when buying at Fowler's that you are getting the very best and most your money will buy.

POTATO SPECIAL

Down goes the price on Fancy Home Grown Potatoes, good cookers, sound and mealy. Do not let this price lead you to think that these are inferior goods. We guarantee them to be all right. 13c a peck.

PURE COD FISH

Not the cheap kind that is usually sold in grocery stores, but the genuine article. Only 10c a pound.

STAR NAPTHA POWDER

Put up to sell for 25c a package. Special price for this sale, 16c a package.

GOLD MEDAL OATS

With each package of Gold Medal Oats at 10c a package, 50c worth of stamps free.

CRACKERS, TWO POUNDS 15c

ROSE OF SHARON TOMATOES

We have a few cases of this delicious Tomato left. You could not buy a better Tomato if you paid 25c for them. Get what you want of this extra fancy Tomato now, while they last, 12½c a can.

CANNED PEACHES

These Peaches are packed in extra sugar syrup and were packed to sell for 20c. For this sale we will sell them at 16c a can.

PURE BUCKWHEAT ..... 4c LB.

Special price for Wednesday.

JAPAN RICE

We have just received a shipment of Japan Rice, the kind that is usually sold at 10c a pound. Fowler's price 2 pounds for 15c. $1.00 worth of stamps with each 2 pounds.

PRIDE BAKING POWDER

We guarantee every can of Pride Baking Powder to be as good as any you have ever had or your money cheerfully refunded. $2.00 worth of stamps with each 15c can.

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THE BRADFIELD CO., ATLANTA, GA.

Wounded Man Once Lived In This City

Frank Schmotzer, or at least a man of the same name, who up until three months ago conducted a shoe repair shop on Chillicothe street between Seventh and Eighth street, is lying at the point of death in an Ashland hospital with a gun shot wound in the breast the result of the deadly gun of Burns Hensley, a brick mason of Ashland.

Schmotzer received what will probably prove his death wound in the Nettie Gray resort in Ashland Sunday afternoon. He, in company with a friend from Ironton, where he has been employed in Neekamp's shoe repair shop, went to Ashland Sunday and later visited the Gray resort. It seems that Hensley came in later and began picking a quarrel with Schmotzer's friend and that he (Schmotzer) took it up. He upbraided Hensley for picking on a fellow smaller than himself and dared him to fight him. Hensley, it is said, immediately whipped out a revolver and fire point blank at Schmotzer, the bullet striking him squarely in the breast and inflicting what is said to be a fatal wound.

After the shooting Hensley hurried to the home of his mother where he was later arrested. Schmotzer was taken to the hospital in a very weakened condition, and when Hensley was brought before him he readily recognized him as the man who had done the shooting. Hensley was placed in jail with the charge of shooting with intent to kill placed against him. In the event of Schmotzer's death this will be changed to murder.

A man named Schmotzer came here from Cincinnati about a year ago, and rented a small building on the Jones lot on Chillicothe street near Squire Byron's office, where he opened up a small shoe repair shop. He seemed to be doing a good business, but about three months ago disappeared rather suddenly, later hobbing up at Ironton where he found employment.

With Schmotzer's disappearance came rumors that he had neglected to square several small accounts, amounting in all to something like $75.

CHANCE FOR COX TO BECOME A PREACHER

Cincinnati, March 15.- If Geo. B. Cox accepts an invitation issued by Rev. George R. Robbins Monday he will appear next Sunday in Rev. Robbins' pulpit at the Lincoln Park Baptist church.

"My pulpit is at his service," declared Rev. Robbins. "He can come any time—next Sunday if he desires."

Last Sunday Rev. Robbins ventured the prediction that the boss of Cincinnati would become a preacher before his life's course was run.

Were Called Here.

Mrs. B. H. Rutledge and daughter, Thelma, were called to the bedside of her daughter, Ida, Mrs. Safe Vincent, of Portsmouth Monday, says Grayson, Ky., Buggie-Herald.

Funeral Notice.

The funeral of Ralph Bradford, youthful victim of the accident death of the city Sunday while attempting to hop an N. & W. freight, will be held from the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bradford ,1401 Fourteenth street, Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. Hartinger will officiate and the remains will be interred at Greenlawn.

Hicks' CAPUDINE Cures Sick Headache.

Also Nervous Headache, Travelers Headache and aches from Grip, Stomach Troubles or Female troubles. Try Capudine—it's liquid—effects immediately. Sold by druggists.

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Let Mrs. Griffith tell you about Mi-o-na, the greatest prescription for stomach troubles ever written:

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Mi-o-na stomach tablets are sold by druggists everywhere and at Wurster Bros., for 50 cents a large box. They are guaranteed to cure indigestion, sour stomach, belching gas, dizziness, biliousness, heaviness, or any stomach ailment.

Try Booth's Pills for constipation—a joyful surprise—25c.

JOHN BERGIN BUILDS UP NICE BUSINESS

John Bergen, a well known former city water works employe and all around good mechanic, is in constant demand these days. Mr. Bergen built up quite a plumbing and pipe fitting business and has been obliged to install a telephone in his home. His number is Y 460.

TO REMOVE SHOFFNER TO ROANOKE, VA. HOME

Charles J. Shoffner, the N. & W. round house foreman, who had a foot mangled a few nights ago, will be removed to his home in Roanoke within a few days. Assistant Foreman Ed Marsh is temporarily looking after Mr. Shoffner's duties at the round house.

Complain of Boys.

Residents of the vicinity of Gallia and Union streets complained to the police Monday evening about the noisy actions of boys. There is considerable sickness in the neighborhood and the residents asked relief.

Finds K. of P. Pin

Officer Joe Stokely found a K. of P. pin on the streets Tuesday morning. The loser may recover same by calling at the Times office.

Haas' for good clothes.

SCHOOL BOARD SALE.

At the door of the Mayor's office in the village of New Boston, Ohio, on Saturday, April 9, 1910, at 3:00 p. m., the Board of Education, of the village of New Boston, will offer for sale, the property known as the Stewartsville school property.

Said property having eighty feet frontage on the Harrisonville turnpike and one hundred and twenty feet deep. There is also a substantial frame building on this property about 22 by 60 feet which is suitable for either a storage or business house.

Terms of sale, cash

FRANK TAYLOR, President.
ROY H. COBURN, Clerk.
March 5, 15, 22, 29.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Sealed bids will be received by the director of Public Service of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, at the office of said Director of Public Service until 12 o'clock noon of Tuesday, March 29th, 1910, for furnishing the necessary labor and material all or part of same separately for water pipe extension on Chillicothe street from Eleventh street to Fourteenth street according to the plans and specifications on file in said office.

Bids must contain the full name of every person or persons interested in the same and be accompanied by a hundred dollar bond or certified check to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Service payable to the order of John Jones, Director Public Service without condition as a guarantee that if the bid is accepted the contract will be entered into and its terms properly secured.

Bidders are required to use printed forms and the Director reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Director of Public Service.

H. F. THOMPSON,
Clerk of Director of Public Service.

Portsmouth, O., March 15, 1910.
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The Best Cough Syrup Is Easily Made at Home

You can make a full pint of cough syrup in five minutes by this recipe—enough to last a family a long time—at a cost of only 54 cents. It is not only cheaper, but better, than the cough medicines you buy. Its taste is pleasant—children like it. It stops obstinate coughs in a hurry, and is splendid for other throat troubles.

Granulated Sugar Syrup ..... 13½ oz.
Pinex ..... 2½ oz.

Put 2½ oz. of Pinex in a pint bottle and fill up with granulated sugar syrup made as follows: Take a pint of granulated sugar, add ½ pint of warm water and stir about 2 minutes. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

This recipe will not work with any of the weaker pine preparations. Use the real Pinex itself, which is the most valuable concentrated compound of Norway White Pine Extract. All druggists have it, or can get it easily on request.

Strained honey can be used instead of the syrup, and makes a very fine honey and pine tar cough syrup.

Prepare To Float Boat

The Gallipolis Tribune rises to correct the statement that the steamer Virginia is stranded in a corn field. She lies in a watermelon patch. Two thousand excursionists visited the boat Sunday.

The Virginia lies in a sandy corn field there being no mud about or near her. She is humped considerable amidship but in excellent shape considering what she has gone through. One main hog chain is broken on the larboard side but the hull is not broken. The boat lies lower at the head than the stern.

A contract was given the Kanawha Dock Co. and work commenced Monday to block the Virginia up and to make all necessary repairs preliminary to launching the boat if a rise does not float her.

Capt. Knox says the stranded packet will float out of her present resting place on several feet less water than she went in on, probably 8 feet less. $24,000 insurance was carried on the boat.

Sunday School Row Breaks Out Again

The famous Sunday school row at the Wheelersburg Methodist church, has broken out afresh and district Superintendent Frank Gilliland, of Delaware, will be on hands tonight to give his decision on the latest developments.

Following the defeat of H. H. McCurdy as Superintendent of the Sunday school by Prof. John H. Cook, it was thought matters would settle down. Teachers allied with the McCurdy faction, however, refused to serve under Cook and without exception resigned, new teachers taking their places.

Recently the McCurdy faction set up the claim that Prof. Cook was not eligible for the position of superintendent of the Sunday school as he was not a member of the Wheelersburg church. It appears that Prof. Cook's membership is at the Oldtown Methodist church, on the West Side and that while he resides in Wheelersburg where he is a public school teacher, he has never transferred his membership. He has been a regular attendant at the Wheelersburg Methodist church.

The pastor of the last named church did not know what to do when the complaint came to him and diplomatically passed it on to the district superintendent. Prof. Cook has stated that he will get a letter from the Oldtown church to the Wheelersburg church to settle the difficulty.

If however, Supt. Gilliland holds Cook ineligible by reason of non-membership a new election for Sunday school superintendent will be necessary and the factions again clash at the ballot box.

Fatty Bilhman Was Injured

"Fatty" Bilhman, a well known young N. & W. car shop employe, was severely hurt at the terminals Sunday. "Fatty" and four fellow workmen were riding a truck to get some material. Just as he leaped from the front end one of the other men jumped from the rear and the truck was forced up against Bilhman's right foot. He has since been walking with a decided limp and will be unable to work for several days.

Haney Boy's Condition.

Ralph Haney, the New Boston lad who had a foot mangled in trying to board an N. & W. train a week ago is doing nicely at Hempstead hospital. All other patients at the hospital are convalescing.

Geo. Russell Better.

George Russell, who recently fell down a stairway at his home on East Third street, is steadily improving.

Building Permit.

Charles Best took out a building permit Tuesday for $150 repairs to his property at No. 1025 Chillicothe street.

SAY HE STOLE CURRY COMB

Police are hunting for Louis Manuel, aged 20, who, according to a complaint received Tuesday morning, stole a curry comb from Kaps Bros. stable, and also carried off three dinners belonging to brick yard employes Monday.

Milson Jarvis, an Errytown young man, who fractured a leg and arm at the Harbison-Walker brick plant some weeks ago, has almost fully recovered from the accident.

Val Herbst returned to Columbus Monday after a week's visit at his home here.

Are On Record For The New Bond Issue

"All those in favor say, 'I?'"

When this question in regard to an additional bond issue to insure a great high school building was put to the high school students Monday afternoon, a thunder of response came from the throats of 500 students, which made every brick in the old Davis building tremble. This resolution was then unanimously adopted:

"We, the pupils of the Portsmouth high school being advised that the funds of the board of education are insufficient for the erection of a complete, fully equipped high school building, do hereby petition every voter of the city of Portsmouth to vote for the issuance of additional bonds in order that students, present and future, will not suffer the inconveniences of an incomplete, or partially equipped building.

"We sincerely hope that the new high school will conform to the proposed plans and specifications and that we will not be disappointed by a building which will only provide for the exigencies of the present.

"We are taught to build for the future and we want a high school building which will meet the educational needs of Portsmouth for years to come."

Good clothes at Haas'.

WAS AFTER HIS CHILDREN

Mrs. Newton Tinsley, colored, of No. 88 Fourteenth street, reported to the police Tuesday that her husband was trying to take their two children away from her. He has been working at Ironton of late and because she is averse to that town he is trying to take the little ones by force. The police promised to investigate.

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New Easter Shirts.
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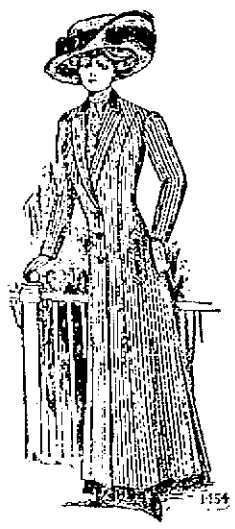

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THE OTHER SIDE.

The New York World says the selection of Senator Combs as temporary president of the senate, over the earnest advice of such leaders as Senator Root and Governor Hughes, is worse than a blunder; it is a deliberate affront to the decent sentiment of the state.

Maybe the World is right in this instance, but it will have to admit that one of the evils of the day is too much dictation by self-appointed leaders. The people of New York sent Hughes to Albany and Root to Washington to discharge certain duties to them. If they do that well they have kept their trust. They did not accredit them ministers plenipotentiary with powers extraordinary to run all the public affairs of the state. It chose legislators also to discharge certain functions and authorities. If the legislators be not true to these their blunder consists in failure, not refusal to obey the advice or orders of a Hughes or a Root. Standing naked and alone this negligence or contempt of orders from those not their masters and to whom they are in no wise further answerable than they are to the humblest citizen constitutes something rather to their credit. We have had too much interference, too much shaping of legislation from Washington, too much orders from leaders in all the states of late years and it is nigh time some halt was put to it. Why, here in Ohio it has come to such a pass that vital legislation is first submitted to the leaders and then carried to Washington. Such a thought as considering the masses seems never to occur to the majority any more. The New York legislature may be fully as bad as it is charged with being, but any legislature which refuses to be bossed at all by leaders has at least the seeds of redemption in it. It must feel some time sense of responsibility to those who elect it, a thing impossible where it takes orders from above or beyond the state.

It is proposed to fracture the poor old battered constitution some more. Mexico and Arizona are to be admitted as states provided they will disfranchise Mexicans, so as to make them Republican. The charter of our liberties says the right of suffrage shall not be denied any person because of his race or color, that is it has been supposedly patched to say that.

That man Herrick did ever seem fortunate beyond his desert. His Cleveland bank has cleared twelve thousand dollars by a senseless run, depositors sacrificing that much in interest in order to get their money out of a place where it was a thousand times safer than in their own pockets.

It is said Brother Charley will have a telephone wire direct from his home in Cincinnati to Brother Bill's in the White House. That is not a pipe line, but it will serve just as useful a purpose.

Wade Ellis called on George B. Cox. The mountain would not go to the mouse, so what could poor mousy do but go to the mountain.

A new high school is needed; no one disputes that. Let's do the right thing and build one right.

Down ... the Ohio and up ... the spirits of the fearful ...

A BIT OFFICIOUS.

Some people, a great many in fact, are writing congressmen who want re-election, asking them how they stand and will stand on certain public issues. As a rule they are not getting explicit and satisfactory replies. The representatives, curiously enough, seem to be of one mind and they are writing that the new congress will not take its seat for nearly two years off and it is rather difficult for a member to say what he will do at that time. Sure, the people ought to be satisfied with that. It would not do for them to know their congressmen had the same view of government policies as they. For it would never do to admit congressmen are sent to Washington to do their will. They do not know what is best for them and they are entirely too officious in trying to tie their representatives to any known line of conduct.

While this may be true, there is no law against voters asking their congressman what he intends to do, so we suggest several of them from this district write the Honorable Adna Romulus Johnson inquiring if he will vote for Joe Cannon for speaker, if he be a candidate for speaker before the Republican congressional caucus and if he be nominated by caucus will he vote for his election as speaker! Cannon has announced he will be a candidate for re-election to congress. There is small doubt he will be elected and none at all if he be elected he will again seek the speakership. So it will scarcely be considered a hypothetical question if Mr Johnson be besought to indicate his course in this matter. He will be around after awhile looking for votes and his feelings would be very much hurt if every voter were to tell him a member will not take his seat for nearly two years off and really he, Mr. Voter, thinks it too early to make up his mind whom he wanted to vote for as congressman. What is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander.

BECAUSE THEY LOVE US.

James Patton, the Chicago operator, who made his millions in wheat, last year, and by way of diversion took a flyer in cotton a short time afterwards, was chased off the floor at Manchester, England, cotton exchange, last week. Some people think it most unbecoming in our British cousins to do that, but they do not understand the case. They took the somewhat unharsh things envy drove at a shining mark to be our real sentiments and it was to show their undying regard for us that the mob chased the gentle James down the street at a 1:59 gait. They do not understand, that while we have a habit of yelling stop thief, when a citizen is fast raking in the coin and we are paying the freight, we forgive him all when he has got safe away with it.

"The leaders" are saying now they knew all along Mark Slater was a grafter. That may be the reason they are so anxious to have him plead guilty, but we can not see where it gets them anything.

Adna Romulus Johnson is said to be back of the bill calling for a primary nomination for congressmen. If he can not make any better guess on that than he does on serving the people he had better get from under.

The government chemist says there are near three million germs and microbes on an old dollar bill. The editors of country weeklies are supposed to be immune.

President Taft is going to take another swing around the circle to defend the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill. Which is merely proof it needs defense.

Council is entertaining some new street paving projects. It can not entertain too many; the only thing worth while is how much can it accomplish.

Misery may love company, but we can not see that it is bringing the Ohio and New York Republicans together.

MAKE IT UNANIMOUS.

Washington City has graciously taken from Ohio Republicanism the dismal task of managing its own affairs and we have the tip therefrom that Nick Longworth is to be the nominee for governor. We move he be nominated by acclamation. The Republican party, since it is to have no voice in the matter, is just as apt to be displeased with him as any one else whom Washington may select and the Democrats are unanimously for him—to get the nomination. He would be easy picking for "Uncle Jud" and that worthy citizen is making such a superior governor that he ought to be kept steadily on the job with the least sort of disturbance.

A SLIGHT ERROR.

Collier's, which knows everything and then some, according to its own dictum, says the next congress will be made up now, but none of its members have yet been chosen. There it falls into a most grave error. More than half the members of the next congress have already been selected. It will be quite true the little formality of their election has not yet been gone through with, but that will be attended to later. The bosses and machines have not ceased to exist nor have they ceased their activities. Already have they made their choice of representatives and to all intents and purposes these need but to have their certificates made out to duly qualify them as the gentlemen from New York, Ohio and the rest of the commonwealths.

There is ever the silver lining. The street railway strike is teaching the people of Philadelphia what a healthy exercise is walking.

Wade Ellis seems to be meeting the usual fate of the peacemaker and the funny part of it is he seems to be enjoying it.

Don't figure so much on the cost of a new high school as what Portsmouth must have.

The Ohlooker

Beef inquisitors are in secret session in Washington. We are not even permitted to see what they have for lunch.

Member of the National League for the Civic Education of Women says frankly they ain't fit to vote. One militant suffragette, she says further, who is loudly proclaiming her willingness to carry a gun for the cause, has been ill in bed for weeks. That settles it. Now quit stopping the procession. Ring the bell and let the car go on.

Judge saw a lawyer smile at a juryman and threw a case out of court. Lawyers and jurors when on duty must look like human grouches. Might help, too, if they roared dire threats against one another.

Head waiters are organizing to secure better service from their assistants for customers. Only last week a magistrate said it was $1 for the waiter and $5 for the head waiter. Is this new movement upward or downward revision?

Artists are just clamoring to paint the portraits of the Speaker of the House of Representatives. What's the hurry? Act as if they thought there was going to be a change.

That persons really do not understand how far this land-of-the-free business goes is evidenced by a playful Austrian, arrested for knocking over garbage cans, pleading that he had only been here a short while and didn't know it was wrong.

Notice report that "Bathhouse John" Coughlin, of Chicago, is about to write a play. A touch of the statesman's quality can be had from the following extract from his last speech of acceptance:—

There is no bunkering about me. * * * You probably have noticed that I don't vote with the alleged reformers on certain questions. I don't want to have anything to do with these long-haired guys. I am in the City Council to represent the First Ward to the best of my ability. I shall go along and do the best I know how.

Easter Footwear at Lehman's. See their windows.

The Boss of the Establishment

He Decides Against Intoxicants in Spite of His Wife's Protests.

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BY A... ...NN

It was the longest Sunday afternoon the Boss had ever spent.

Outside the sun shone with a white glare most disconcerting to a city which, like its inhabitants, felt that its winter clothes had grown rather shabby, but that it was too early to put on a new spring outfit.

On the churchyard trees, which stared with unecclesiastical curiosity into the rear windows of the Boss' establishment, the birds were celebrating mid-Lent.

The Boss, however, was not celebrating anything. He had sworn off. Hence gloom, alternated by grouch and diversified by weariness, reigned in his abode.

The Boss' Wife, familiar with the symptoms of her lord, did nothing to aggravate them—which was good. Neither did she attempt to alleviate them—which was better still. Only when she saw him seat himself at his desk and, unprodded by anything save his own conscience, begin the composition of his semi-annual letter home, she realized that the situation was desperate.

"How do you spell 'thirst?'" asked the Boss, looking up from his letter suddenly.

"Do you mean to tell me you don't know how to spell a one syllable word like that?" his wife answered, incredulously.

"One syllable word! Nonsense!" thundered Boss. "It's the longest word in the English language—'incomprehensibility' isn't in it—and the dryest and hardest to pronounce."

"Yes, dear," acquiesced his wife, sympathetically. "I know. I made a pitcher of nice lemonade this morning and put it in the ice box. Would you like some now?"

"I've drunk so much lemonade this week that I dreamed last night that I was a lime and was being squeezed into a gin rickey," the Boss answered languidly. "I never knew before the peculiar quality all those soft drinks seem to have of leaving you thirstier than ever. No, you'll have to do better than that!"

WOULD YOU LIKE SOME LEMONADE? SAID THE BOSS' WIFE.

"Buttermilk?" the Boss' wife suggested, hopefully.

"Ugh!" shuddered the Boss.

"How about some nice iced tea or some ginger ale?"

"Awful!" the Boss exclaimed, and turned disconsolately back to his letter.

A long silence followed, which was broken finally by another plaintive inquiry from the Boss.

"Has Wurzburger got a 'z' or an 's'?"

"What are you writing to your mother about?" gasped the Boss' Wife. "Have you forgotten that she's president of a temperance society? You'll shock her to death!"

"Shock her?" echoed the aggrieved Boss, "why, I'm delighting her dear soul by telling her that I've sworn off and, just to show her what a hero I am, I'm making out an alphabetical list of all the things I've given up—absinthe, angostura, apricot, Benedictine, beer—I'm classifying the beers now!"

The Boss' Wife rose and walked toward his desk. Glancing over the Boss' shoulder she saw that, as a novel method of assuaging his thirst, he had covered three sheets of writing paper with something that resembled a hotel wine list much more than a Sunday letter to the home folks.

"You're not really going to send that thing," she laughed.

"I certainly am!" the Boss answered grimly.

And then she realized that the hour of the Boss' capitulation had struck and that, as usual, she would have to let him surrender with all the honors of war—in other words, surrender for him.

"Well, don't finish the letter now!" she exclaimed, suddenly. "I want somebody to take me out to dinner! I'm tired of staying in the house!"

And then, as she strode toward her room, she added over her shoulder:—

"Perhaps we may discover a few things to add to your list!"

The Boss laughed—laughed as the desert laughs after six months of drought. His parched soul expanded like dried apples in water.

But it was not with water that, some time later, the Boss, across a sparkling table, chose to expand his soul.

"My wife is such a religious and temperance crank," said the Boss of the Establishment to the Confirmed Married Man next day, "that I'm afraid to take a drink during Lent! For me life is one long, sweet lemonade!"

ORDINANCE.

Number 1490.

To issue bonds of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, in the sum of $14,000.00 to provide funds for the payment of the City's Proportion of the cost and expense of the improvement of the various streets herein named.

Be It Ordained by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, two-thirds of all the members elected thereto concurring, as follows:—

Section 1. That it is deemed necessary to issue and sell the bonds of said City in the sum of $14,000.00, as hereinafter set forth for the purpose of paying the City's proportions of the cost and expense of improving the various streets herein by grading, setting curbs and gutters, constructing the necessary drains and retaining walls, and paving the roadway with vitrified or hard burned brick.

Section 2. That under the authority of Section ... of the Municipal Code of 1902, and under the authority of Ordinance Number 2... of the Revised Statutes of Ohio, bonds of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, be issued to the amount of $14,000.00 to provide funds to pay the City's proportion of the cost and expense of improving the following named streets:—

Seventh Street, Campbell-Lawson's Run, $...

Mabert ... Avenue, Robinson-..., $...

Broadway Street, Seventh-Gallia, $...

Hutchins Street, Gallia-Home, $...

Second Street, Thompson-Offnere, $...

Offnere Street, Second-Fourth, $1400.00.

North Waller Street, Eleventh-Kinney's Lane, $4800.00

Total, $14,000.00.

Section 3. Said bonds shall be designated "Street Improvement Bonds City's Proportion and shall be 28 in number, and numbered consecutively from 159 to 186, both inclusive, of the denomination of $500.00 each. Said bonds shall bear date May 1, 1910, and shall become due and payable at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, as follows:—

6 bonds—$3000.00—May 1st, 1916.
6 bonds—$3000.00—May 1st, 1917.
6 bonds—$3000.00—May 1st, 1918.
6 bonds—$3000.00—May 1st, 1919.
4 bonds—$2000.00—May 1st, 1920.

Section 4. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of (4) per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of November and May in each year, upon the presentation and surrender of the several coupons which shall be annexed and made a part of said bonds; and the faith and credit of said City of Portsmouth are hereby pledged for the payment of the said bonds and of the principal at maturity.

Section 5. Said bonds shall be prepared, issued and delivered under the direction of the Finance Committee of Council and the City Auditor and shall be signed by the Mayor of said City and the City Auditor, and sealed with the corporate seal of said City, and the interest coupons annexed to said bonds shall be executed by the City Auditor with his signature thereto or a printed facsimile thereof. Said bonds shall be offered by the Finance Committee of Council and the City Auditor, and sold in the manner provided by law for not less than their par value and accrued interest to date of delivery.

Section 6. That the proceeds from the sale of said bonds, except the premium and accrued interest thereon shall be placed in the City Treasury to the credit of the Street Improvement Fund—City's Proportion, and shall be disbursed upon proper vouchers for the purpose of paying the City's proportion of the cost and expense of improving the various streets herein named in the proportion above set forth, and for no other purpose whatsoever. And the premium and accrued interest received from such sale shall be transferred to the Trustees of the Sinking Fund to be applied by them in the manner provided by law.

Section 7. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed March 2, 1910.

Attest:

ADAM PFAU, President.

WILLIAM N. GABLEMAN, Clerk.

ORDINANCE.

Number 1491.

To vacate part of alley running North and South between Gay and Bond Streets North of Mill Street.

Whereas, On the 6th day of October, A. D., 1909, a petition was presented to the Council by The Portsmouth Veneer and Panel Company, the owner of abutting property praying that the alley running North and South from Mill Street to the South line of the alley running East and West between Mill and Front Streets (said alley being the alley just East of The Portsmouth Veneer and Panel Company's property, and between Gay and Bond Streets in said City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio) be vacated; and it having been shown that notice of the pendency and prayer of said petition has been given as required by law by publication in The Portsmouth Daily Times, a newspaper of general circulation within said City for six consecutive weeks, ending with November 22, 1909, and

Whereas, Council upon the hearing of said petition is satisfied that there is good cause for such vacation as prayed for, that it will not be detrimental to the general interest, and ought to be made, Now, Therefore,

Be It Ordained by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, as follows:—

Section 1. That the alley running North and South from Mill Street to the South line of the alley running East and West between Mill and Front Streets (said alley being the alley just East of The Portsmouth Veneer and Panel Company's property, and between Gay and Bond Streets in said City of Portsmouth, Ohio, be and the same is hereby vacated.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed March 2, 1910.

Attest:

ADAM PFAU, President.

WILLIAM N. GABLEMAN, Clerk.

SIDELIGHTS ALONG WASHINGTON BYWAYS.

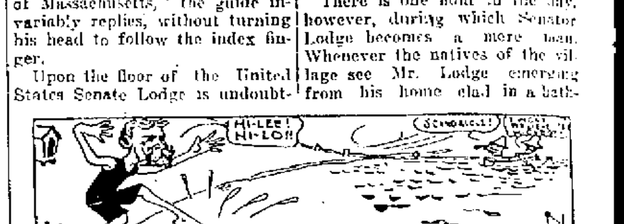
Washington, D. C., Tuesday, March 15.—"Who is that distinguished, dignified looking man?" nine out of ten visitors to the Senate galleries ask, pointing to a member on the Republican side of the Senate chamber.

"Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts," the guide invariably replies, without turning his head to follow the index finger.

Upon the floor of the United States Senate Lodge is undoubtedly the personification of dignity. The United States Senate almost ranks in Mr. Lodge's affections with the Sacred Codfish. When in Washington, Mr. Lodge is very much a United States Senator, except when Mr. Theodore Roosevelt is here. On such occasions he is an enthusiastic pedestrian, wading through Rock Creek, or a professed lover of a fifty mile ride astride a thoroughbred.

When the Senator goes back to Massachusetts he has three personalities. When politicians and office seekers are in his immediate neighborhood he promptly becomes the most frigid person on the face of the earth. He can usually give a man frost bite by staring at him. When he gets down to his summer home at Nahant he becomes a literary person during a majority of the hours of each day. An ordinary citizen could not break into the sanctity of his libraray with a crowbar.

There is one hour in the day, however, during which Senator Lodge becomes a mere man. Whenever the natives of the village see Mr. Lodge emerging from his home clad in a bathing suit they observe a man devoid, not only of all unnecessary articles of clothing, but also of dignity. When it come to real love for swimming Judge Alton B. Barker isn't in it with Senator Lodge. The latter goes down on the beach in front of his home and cavorts around like a kitten. True, it is a private beach, from which the natives are excluded as religiously as from the library, but it is the only spot on earth where Mr. Lodge forgets to wear his dignity, and seeing him thus is such a treat that it is said not to be uncommon for the natives to row around the point, throw anchor overboard and gaze upon their care-free Senator.



"There's no denying the fact," said an old member of the House, "that the spirit of reform is taking possession of us. The insurgents, of course, are abnormal, but even the old veterans of the House are different today than they were a dozen years ago.

"I was reminded of this recently when the Speaker appointed a committee to attend the funeral of a member who had died in Washington. There was to be a Congressional funeral and the committee was to do the honors for the national legislature.

"The sergeant-at-arms arranged for two special cars—one for the family and another for the Congressional committee. As soon as the dome of the Capitol was well out of sight the members of the House and Senate, tired of conversation, opened their bags and produced reading matter having a direct bearing on legislation pending in Congress.

"That was not the way we whiled away the time in the good old days. Perhaps it's just as well that things have changed, but I can't help thinking about the viewpoint of the new generation. In the old days the sergeant-at-arms had a lot more consideration for the comfort of the committee than now. Then the car was well stocked with our favorite brands of whiskey and cigars. After we had reflected upon the greatness of the man, whose body we were accompanying, some one would push a bell and the porter set up a couple of tables.

"Of course, we meant no disrespect to the dead, but those funeral parties were weary affairs. Hence our conscience did not hurt us as we sat into a nice sociable game of draw poker, with a well tipped porter ever at our side to quench our thirsts, with no wives to telephone to about important business detaining us at the capitol, and all that sort of thing. When we arrived at our destination we upheld the dignity of Congress, just as we were expected to, and resumed the game on the homeward journey. But things are changed now."

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WANTED—A girl for general house work. Call on Mrs. Cecil Miller, 376 East Eleventh St. 15-tf

WANTED— Boarders at 603½ Court Street. 15-5

WANTED—White girl in family of three. Apply 147 East Third. 15-1

WANTED—Good boy at Telegraph office. 14-3

WANTED—To buy lawn roller. Call Home 'phone 761. 14-3

WANTED—Girl for general house work. Apply at 1805 Grandview avenue or phone B 302. 14-2

WANTED—Fruit farm with 700 to 1,500 bearing trees. Will pay cash. Address R. S. Reeder, Barden, O. 14-6

WANTED—Paper hanging and cleaning to do. Al Reiniger 805 Harvard. Phone Y 438. 14-tf

WANTED— An experienced girl for general house work. Apply 96 East Second street. 14-3

WANTED—Boy over 16. Good chance to learn telegraphy, at Western Union Telegraph Co. 12-3

WANTED—Sewing of all kinds at 304 Court St. 12-3

WANTED—Wall paper cleaning and hanging to do. Hill, phone X 516. 12-3

WANTED— Cleaning, pressing and repairing. Joseph Faivre, 187 East Third. 3-9-2m

WANTED—To buy small house in Portsmouth. Charles M. Matthews, Bertha, O. 10-5

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FOR SALE—Or trade, 12 room house, suitable for boarders. Store room in connection; also two cottages. Inquire 1416 Chillicothe street. 15-5

FOR SALE—Cheap 21 foot launch with 6 horse power engine. Phone B 431 or call 112 Gallia. 12-3

FOR SALE—Piano coupon worth $90 at 190 East Ninth street. Phone Y 599. 12-3

FOR SALE—Farm situated on Harrisonville and Munn's Run pike, 6 miles from Portsmouth. Address John C. Bainer, R. D. No. 2, Portsmouth, O. 12-6

FOR SALE—Three room house on High street. Inquire at 1325 High street. 12-3

FOR SALE—$18 block go cart. Used as new, cheap. Mrs. Batterson, 721 Court St. 12-tf

FOR SALE—Bond for $15 on any new piano in Harps-Sprinkle Co. wareroom. Inquire 409 Waller. 12-3

FOR SALE—Or rent, 42 acre farm, 5 miles from Portsmouth. Call 275 West Second. 15-4

FOR SALE—5 room house with bath, 560 Nineteenth St. 15-3

FOR SALE—Good rubber tired buggy and harness. Mrs. Geo. Graham, 1805 Timmonds avenue. Home phone B 193. 15-3

FOR SALE—15 head of work horses, drivers and colts. Will sell at a bargain to make room for other stock. W. E. Tripp, South Webster, O. 15-6

FOR SALE—Modern eight room house. Bath, gas, cistern, walks and barn. Pave street. Hill top. Owner leaving city. Big bargain. Address "Owner," care Times office. 8-tf-4t-4s

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FOR SALE—Pair of mules. Chas. M. Matthews, Union Mills. 10-5

FOR SALE—Everett pianos, John Church, Harvard and Dayton, Old reliable house of John Church Co. Bradford, 34 East Seventh. 14-6

FOR SALE—Lot of young peach trees. Ten cents each. 89 West Second. 14-6

FOR SALE—Team of bay horses, weighing between eleven and twelve hundred each. Also 4 year old gray horse and set of double work harness and wagon. Call Home phone 4905. 14-6

FOR SALE—Good surrey, almost new, cheap. Inquire 510 Court street. 14-3

FOR SALE—Desirable lot on East Eighth street. One lot on Boundary street. Inquire Room 225 Masonic Temple. 14-3

FOR SALE—One nice pair of matched mules. Weight 2,000 pounds. Will sell or trade for a good young horse. G. W. Davis, Fullerton, Ky. 14-3

FOR SALE—3 room cottage, at New Boston. Call East End Furniture Co., Eleventh and Lawson. 29-tf

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FOR SALE—New up to date 7 room house, bath, electric lights, gas for heat and light, hot and cold water. Best location in city. Address B. B. care Times. 22-tf

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FOR SALE—New six room house on hill top. See B. G. Harris, 322 Chillicothe St. 11-8

FOR SALE—Gallia street property, 45 ft. lot, 6 room house, all modern, hardwood floor, opposite Hutchins street; also 4 room house at intersection of Eighth and Gallia. See J. A. Maxwell, 10 East 2nd St. 11-6

FOR SALE—Cheap, two Singer Sewing Machines. Call at Swickerts' grocery. 4-tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Four room cottage at 1403 Waller street. Call or phone A 929. Mrs. A. L. Beatty. 15-3

FOR RENT—Two room house in rear of 162 East Fifteenth St. Inquire at 48 West Ninth St. 12-3

FOR RENT—A large furnished room up stairs. With gas and water. Second door from the belt line car. 1357 Park avenue. 12-3

FOR RENT— Desirable flat on Fourth street with bath suitable for man and wife. Call on Cecil Miller. 9-tf

FOR RENT—5 room house with bath room and all other modern conveniences. 660 East Eighth. Inquire of Mark A. Crawford, Masonic Temple. 11-tf

FOR RENT—Seven room house. All modern improvements. T. B. Lawson, 265 East Second St. 14-5

FOR RENT— Furnished room for light house keeping. Call 32 Gallia. 14-6

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FOR RENT— Furnished rooms. Inquire 14 East Third St. 12-3

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Wreck On N. & W.

A freight wreck on the Cincinnati division of the N. & W. railway early Tuesday morning, delayed traffice on that division for more than two hours, and as a consequence passenger train No. 26, due here at 10:35, did not arrive until nearly noon. No one was hurt in the wreck so far as could be learned. The smash-up occurred as the result of a derailment just outside the Clare yards.

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LOST—A twenty dollar gold piece on Eleventh street between Union and Waller streets. Finder return to Cropper's grocery and receive reward. 15-3

LOST—Gentleman's watch fob. Finder phone 571. 10-7

LOST—Ben Hur pin, Saturday night. Return to 474 East Fifth or call Home phone Y 670. Reward. 14-2

LOST—Suit case on Washington or Seventh street. Reward for return to Crane and Lockwood, 318 West Second. 14-2

MORAL

Be sincere but don't be serious. At the last nothing matters much. Mortals give things an importance quite beyond their gravity. We shall slide out of their life into another, and the day of our death like the day of our birth will be shrouded in forgetfulness and if we do remember any of our trials and troubles it will be only to smile that they should ever have caused us a pang. So says Elbert Hubbard. Make it your aim to get all out of life you can and commence by owning your home. It brings to you a satisfaction and independence that can not be acquired in a rented home or a boarding house. Make up your mind today and see

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PORTSMOUTH MAN IS INJURED AT KENOVA

Huntington, W. Va., March 15.—(Special to Times)—George Berry, said to be an N. & W. brakeman of Portsmouth, while alighting from a freight train was thrown underneath and badly mangled as the train was pulling into the Union station at Kenova Monday evening.

It is thought that Berry's long experience in train riding made him careless and slipping he fell against the railing that protects people from falling over the high viaduct. The force of the fall carried him under the wheels and when found on the platform he was seemingly dead. Bystanders made no effort to touch the body preferring to wait until the coroner arrived. Berry finally regained consciousness. He protested against being left there to die.

"My God, boys, can't you do something for me. My blood's getting cold," cried the man in agonizing tones.

He was placed on a cot and carried to the Kenova city hall where Dr. Stungill, the N. & W. surgeon attended him. Berry's body was frightfully mangled. One leg was completely severed and the other badly mashed. His right arm was almost torn off. Owing to his weakened condition no operation was attempted and he spent the night at the city hall, being made as comfortable as possible under the circumstances. It was feared he would not survive the night but he was still alive this morning and will probably be moved to a hospital for an operation.

The mishap occurred at a point on the viaduct which is considered extremely dangerous one as several accidents have occurred there in the past.

Persons arriving in Portsmouth early Tuesday reported that the man injured was George Bauer sometimes known as Berry, living at New Boston and employed at the steel plant and who went to Catlettsburg last Friday. They reported that he had been drinking and was hurt while trying to catch a freight train.

At division headquarters of the N. & W. officials appeared as much puzzled about the man's real identity as others. They did succeed in learning though that he was not a company employe but was a man who was fatally hurt while trying to beat his way to Portsmouth. To the Kenova authorities he gave his name as George Baur, spelling the latter without the letter "e" and said he worked at the steel plant and boarded at the Weeks home near the Portsmouth race track.

He showed no particular desire to have relatives notified of his accident and these the N. & W. officials have been vainly trying to locate all day. The man according to the official report is 45 years old. It was reported that he was a brother of Dave Bauer, the well known street car motorman, but this has not as yet been verified.

SEC. THOMPSON HAS GONE TO NEW YORK

Columbus, O., March 15.—Secretary of State Thompson has gone to New York city to meet his youngest brother, who is an engineer on the steamer "Jefferson," of the Old Dominion line, plying between that city and Virginia. The latter went from Ironton several years ago to take a position at the big ship building plant at Newport News, Va., and later was promoted to his present place.

BARK SINKS, 33 DROWNED

(By Associated Press.)

Lisbon, Mar. 15.—A Portuguese bark from the Azores Islands has been lost and 33 persons drowned.

Mr. Robert Warden, of Eighth street, has as his guest, Mr. Frank Drown, of Muncie, Ind.

CANNON RAPPED THE INSURGENTS

(By Associated Press.)

Springfield, Ill., Mar. 15.—Speaker Cannon, in a letter read at a meeting of the Illinois Republican Editorial association, renewed his attack on the "insurgents."

He declared all pledges of the platform would be kept by the Republican party if it continued to have the support of the people.

President Taft sent a telegram expressing the hope that the association would stand by the Republican congress and the administration in the latter's attitude towards the tariff and other legislation.

Burns Her Home In A Suicide Effort

(By United Press.)

Hamilton, O., March 15—Local police declare that Edna Summerton, 29 wife of Harry E. Summerton set fire to their home this morning intending to burn the house and commit suicide. Her bedroom, it is said, had been saturated with coal oil and her husband awoke to find the bed on fire.

The woman jumped from the second story window and struck a fence causing spinal injuries which will cause her death. She is thought to have been partly demented. Her husband was badly burned and ten other people were rescued from the fire by firemen.

ON TRAIL OF BLACK HAND

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Mar. 15.—New York detectives today are aiding West Chester county authorities in trying to run down a band of Blackhanders, who terrorized workmen on the John D. Rockefeller estate at Pocantico Hills. The workmen will say little about blackmailers' exactions, but the police are working on clues that it is hoped will result in breaking up the gang.

Is Much Better.

Clifford Baker who has been in an alarming condition with typhoid pneumonia for some time was reported much better Tuesday. It is thought that the crisis is now past and he is now on the road to recovery.

Iniunction Is Asked

John A. Biars, through his attorney, Theodore K. Funk, filed a petition in common pleas court asking the court to enjoin Henry Saddler and others from cutting timber and destroying tobacco beds on the plaintiff's lands in Washington township. The plaintiff declares in his petition that the defendants, without authority, cut down and hauled away timber to the value of $20, and destroyed tobacco beds to the value of $20.

A temporary injunction was granted by Judge Middleton Tuesday afternoon and the hearing for a permanent injunction will be heard at the next term of court.

One On Daniel.

They are telling one on Dan Thomas of the Red Cross Pharmacy and Davy Jones is now having his inning. Dan paid a call to a hill top friend Sunday. Returning he boarded a belt line car. Now although he has lived on Findlay street near Seventh for some time past he started up Ninth after alighting from the car and it was some minutes before he really tumbled to his mistake.

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THE MARKETS

Opening.

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, March 15:—Wheat May $1.14⅛; July $1.08; Sept. $1.05⅛.

Corn May 65⅛; July 67; Sept. 67⅝.

Oats May 36; July 36⅛; Sept. 30⅞.

Close.

Wheat May $1.13⅝; July $1.06¾; Sept. $1.03⅝.

Corn May 64⅝; July 66¼; Sept. 66½; March 62⅝.

Oats May 35⅞; July 33⅛; Sept. 30⅞.

(By United Press.)

Chicago, Mar. 15.—Cattle — Receipts, 400 head; market strong; beeves, $5.30 to $8.10; stockers and feeders, $3.60 to $6.25; cows and heifers, $2.65 to $6.70; calves, $7.50 to $10.25.

Hogs — Receipts, 15,000 head; market strong; light, $10.90; mixed, $10.95; heavy, $11.05; pigs, $10.50.

Sheep — Receipts, 1000; strong; $5.00 to $8.15.

Lambs—$8.00 to $8.75.

Pittsburg, Mar. 15.—Hogs — Receipts, light; market active; medium, $11.25; heavy, $11.25; yorkers, $11.20; pigs, $10.90.

Sheep and Lambs—Light and strong.

Cattle—Light and strong.

Partition Is Ordered

The partition suit of Jacob Gerlach against John Gerlach was submitted to Judge Middleton Tuesday afternoon. The petition was granted and Daniel Fort, Peter Gleim and Willard Lamb were appointed appraisers.

HOLE BURNED IN FLOOR

A blaze under a hot plate in Prof. H. L. Kellar's room caused a fire on the second floor of Mrs. H. S. Grimes' property on West Sixth street Tuesday afternoon. A hole was burned in the floor. Neighbors sent in a still alarm and the blaze was extinguished with chemicals. Damage will not exceed $15.

Gasoline Boat Runs Ashore

Word has reached this city that the gasoline boat Liberty, owned by Buena Vista parties, is aground in a cornfield just above Big Brush creek, this side of Manchester. The boat, in trying to move around some willows, got into shallow water. The steamer Andree M. left here Tuesday for the scene to pull the boat off if possible.

SHUT UP SHOP AND SAY THEY ARE DONE

Circleville soft drink men who have been cheerfully selling hard drinks and worser, have closed their places and gone out of business. A puzzled community is asking why.

D. F. Creekbaum, Piano Dealer, 119 East Fourth street.

Roof Was On Fire

An Italian boarding house, located on the corner of Kendall avenue and Walnut street, had its roof burned badly Tuesday afternoon about 1:30 o'clock.

The Italians are all laborers on the N. & W., and were eating their dinner when the blaze started. A passing engine blew some sparks on the roof, and it immediately caught fire. An alarm was turned in at the East End engine house, but before the fire department had arrived, an N. & W. engine ahd stopped and its crew coupled some hose from the water tank and stopped the fire.

Get Judgment By Default

The case of the Williams Lumber company against Wade and Thompson for money was heard before Judge W. H. Middleton Tuesday afternoon. The plaintiff took judgment by default in the sum of $255.59.

Alice Collins Gets Divorce

The case of Alice Collins against John Collins for divorce, on the grounds of wilful absence, was heard before Judge W. H. Middleton Tuesday afternoon. The defendant did not appear and a decree in divorce was granted and the plaintiff restored to her maiden name, Alice Silwell.

HOFFER CASE BOBS UP

The Hoffer case that was heard in probate court Tuesday morning with the result of the removal of Attorney Joseph Mackelwait as guardian of Jesse Hoffer, was again under fire in common pleas court Tuesday afternoon. Shortly after dinner Capt. N. W. Evans, Mrs. Hoffer's attorney, filed a petition, asking for temporary alimony for his client. The case was brought before Judge Middleton and Attorney Arthur Bannon on behalf of Mr. Hoffer, objected to the allowance, stating that it was for no other purpose than to provide means by which Captain Evans might get his attorney fees. Judge Middleton refused to consider the motion, and it will probably go till the return of Judge Blair in April if Judge Corn, of Ironton, cannot hear it. Captain Evans will try to get Judge Corn to hear it on March 28.

Captain Evans declares that he is going to take the case before the Humane society, in so much as the four small Hoffer children are concerned.

Launch Was Stranded

Albert Brunner and Herb Smith got hung on a snag while hunting near St. Paul, Ky., Monday afternoon. Darkness overtook them and they were forced to abandon the launch for the night. They returned to the scene Tuesday morning, but have not as yet put in an appearance.

Henry Hanca returned Tuesday from a trip to Wheelersburg in the interests of T. A. Staker Bros'. meat market. He secured four steers which averaged 1400 pounds.

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NO WONDER BRO. SIBLEY HAS GOTTEN SO GOOD

Gallipolis had a new lid Sunday and Easter was two weeks off at that. Groceries, meat markets, fruit stands, chewing gum stands, soda fountains, undertaking establishments and other unnecessary business houses were closed by order of Mayor Kerr. The town's lone street car got mad and jumped the track, so altogether the place that passeth understanding settled down on the old French town.

P. S. And Point Pleasant was three miles away.

ROYAL TO HAVE FINE NEW HOME

H. F. Becker, a splendid mechanic in the employ of the Mosler Safe and Lock company, of Cincinnati, who was sent here to install the safe and fixtures at the new home of the Royal Building and Loan association in the Haldeman block, on Gallia street, completed his labors Saturday night and returned home. Mr. Becker impressed the Royal directors as a most capable and conscientious workman and they were delighted with the results he achieved. He found that some of the fixtures did not conform to the room and unaided he made them over to fit, doing a very fine piece of work.

The Royal is going to have a splendid new home, the beautiful marble counters and many conveniences being in keeping with that most progressive and prosperous institution.

To Confer on Wage Scale

N. L. Russell, president of the Central Labor Council, and Clarence Pyles, both sheet metal workers, employed at the Portsmouth terminals, were called to Roanoke to confer with the officials in regard to the wage scale to be paid this year, and other matters of importance in regard to working conditions.

TWO DUCK HUNTERS DUCKED IN THE OHIO

Two well known Portsmouth young men, Herbert Smith and "Buzz" Dellart, had an unexpected bath in the Ohio river on Monday and thereby hangs a tale.

Early in the morning they had gone down the river in a launch after ducks. On the return trip their launch got stuck on a snag and in trying to get her off both boys were thrown into the river, by a sudden lurch of the boat.

Funeral Notice.

The funeral of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jones took place Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock from the house. The burial was in Greenlawn instead of at Firebrick, Ky.

IT BAKES THE BEST, MAGNOLIA FLOUR.

Takes Position Here.

A. C. Brooks, of Wellston, has taken a position at Sperry & Watters' barber shop succeeding to the vacancy caused by Fred Farrell's going to Logan, W. Va.

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N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

Chas Welty Left Wife

Chief Davidson received a letter Tuesday from L. H. Weir, chief officer of the Hamilton County Juvenile court, inquiring concerning Charles Welty, who, it develops, separated from his wife in the Queen City on February 20th, and, taking their two and a half year old son, Irving, came to Portsmouth. They are now at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Welty, on Sixteenth street.

Mrs. Welty has made complaint to the court, who is now anxious to hear Mr. Welty's side of the case, and for this purpose Officer McCarty called at the home Tuesday. Mr. Welty said he came here two weeks ago, and has taken a position at the Selby shoe factory and said he left his wife for just causes. Irving, little son of the couple, is a bright little chap and is now getting over the measles. He is being well taken care of and has a good home and the same will be duly reported to the Cincinnati authorities. Mr. Welty has promised to acquaint the officers with the details concerning the estrangement of himself and wife.

Mr. Welty has been married for three or four years, but not many people in the city, where he was raised, knew of the fact.

Don't Break Down.

Severe strains on the vital organs, like strains on machinery, cause break-downs. You can't over-tax stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels or nerves without serious danger to yourself. If you are weak or run down, or under strain of any kind, take Electric Bitters, the matchless tonic medicine. Mrs. J. E. Van de Sande, of Kirkland, Ill., writes: "That I did not break down while enduring a close severe strain for three months, is due wholly to Electric Bitters." Use them and enjoy health and strength. Satisfaction positively guaranteed. 50c at The Fisher & Sterich Pharmacy.

Is Very Sick.

Mrs. Sophia Stokely, widow of the late John Stokely, Sr., is dangerously ill at her home on Jackson avenue.

Husband Was Shot

The reports of a shooting affray in Kentucky prove correct and details were brought by persons arriving here from Quincy Tuesday noon.

According to these Ben Allen was shot in the face and one eye blown out by Everitt Ruggles, whom he shortly before had found in his home on Big White Oak, Ky., six and a half miles back of Quincy. Ruggles escaped immediately after the shooting and is still at large.

Allen had been employed in a spoke factory in West Virginia and returned to find Ruggles at his home. A stormy scene followed, but Ruggles managed to escape from the house. He returned shortly afterward armed with a shotgun and as soon as Allen appeared in the doorway in answer to a knock Ruggles blazed away at him.

May Put In New Boat

A daily packet to make prompt deliveries between here and Huntington and other upriver points is the plan of J. H. Miller, of the Miller Queensware company, of Huntington, has proposed to local shippers.

Mr. Miller was here Monday and explained his plan to a number of local wholesalers and jobbers and it is said met with considerable encouragement. He is the owner of a light draught boat of about the size of the Greyhound, and would like to enter her in the local trade, same to be operated as an independent boat. It is likely Mr. Miller will return here shortly to more thoroughly go over the matter with Portsmouth shippers. A boat of this kind has been talked of before but never materialized.

Loses Her Purse.

Miss Anna Perry, the superintendent of Hempstead hospital, has the misfortune to lose a valuable silver purse, containing $3.50 and some street car tickets Tuesday morning. Miss Perry discovered her loss just after reaching the City building. She had been awaiting a belt line car at Seventeenth and Findlay streets when a physician came along in an automobile and brought her down town. The return of the purse will be appreciated.

Attention Knights.

The Knights of Columbus will hold an experience meeting on Wednesday night. All members will please attend. 14-3

JOHN F. STARCK HAS MOVED TO NEW FARM.

John F. Starck and family left Monday for Ross county to take possession of the Hauck farm, 3 miles this side of Chillicothe and which they purchased some weeks ago. It is one of the finest farms in the Scioto Valley. Mr. Starck worked at the Selby shoe factory the greater part of his life or until the big strike a year ago and made the best of his continuous service by saving his money and making good investments. He acquired considerable real estate over town particularly in the East End. It was he who built the row of houses east of Athletic park and fronting on Kendall avenue. Mr. Starck and his estimable family carry with them the best wishes of a host of friends.

What Syndicate Says.

Syndicate Wilson who is conducting a great revival at Moreton, says "The gates of hell are wide open and people are going to hell like flies, and that the devil is having hard work to make room for the people."

FRENCH LICK HOTEL COMPANY WINS SUIT

Poslix, Ind., March 15.—The suit of the state of Indiana to annul the charter of the French Lick Springs Hotel company, on the ground that gambling was permitted on the company's premises, was decided by a jury in favor of the Hotel company.

The case against the hotel company has attracted much attention because of the many attempts by the state to stop gambling, which, it is alleged, was going on at French Lick.

CLARENCE NODLER TO BE THE LOCAL AGENT

Clarence Nodler has been appointed Portsmouth agent for the Mutual Life Insurance company, of New York by district superintendent Sam G. Baldwin, who as stated elsewhere will soon take up his headquarters in Dayton.

Attorney W. R. Sprague is in Huntington, W. Va., on professional business.

CARVED HIS FINGERS INSTEAD OF SHOES

Keefe Cundiff, 815 John street, is off duty as the result of a badly carved hand. He is employed as cutter at the Selby Shoe Co., and on Monday afternoon his knife slipped and cut two of his fingers to the bone. Dr. Martin took several stitches to close the wounds.

Is To Sell Shoes.

Albert H. Crawford, who has been advertising manager of the soap products manufactured by Mr. Graf, formerly chemist at the Portsmouth Steel Co., has resigned his position to accept one as traveling salesman for the Wolfe Bros. Shoe Co., of Columbus and will enter on his new duties Wednesday. His territory will be West Virginia, Eastern Kentucky and Western Virginia. His friends wish him success.

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Fine Lecture By Dr. Baldwin

Dr. J. F. Baldwin of Columbus delivered a most interesting lecture before the Hempstead Academy Monday afternoon, the regular monthly session of that body.

Dr. Baldwin had for his subject "Surgical Tuberculosis" which he took up in its different phrases and its effect on the bones and joints, in fact, all ailments originating from the disease.

He is an entertaining talker and had the undividad attention of his auditors for nearly an hour. He handled his subject in fine style and spoke as a man with much knowledge, no doubt gained through his many years service as chief surgeon at Grant hospital. The discussion was opened by Dr. S. P. Fetter and was generally participated in by those present. Dr. Baldwin returned home Monday evening.

Want A New Road Built

Frank Dovey, a young West Side farmer, is circulating a petition for a new road, beginning at Oppey Appleton's store, on the Galena pike, about four miles from Portsmouth and thence running almost due west two miles to William Bridwell's farm to a connection with the Pond Creek road. The road would be quite a convenience to a number of good farms.

R. F. WORKMAN IS HURT AT WHEELERSBURG, O.

R. F. Workman, an employe on a steam shovel engaged in making a cut near Wheelersburg on the N. & W. stepped backwards off the running board falling about six feet and injuring his back and badly bruising him.

Alex Bruce Ill.

Alex Bruce who married Miss Sadie Miller following some strenuous experiences a week ago is now laid up on account of illness. The young couple are house keeping at No. 615 Offnere street.

TO ATTEND SERVICES AT THE U. B. CHURCH.

Calvary Commandery No. 13, Knights Templar, will attend services in a body at the United Brethren church Easter Sunday. All sir knights will appear in full uniform excepting sword. They will assemble at the Masonic Temple at 2 p. m.

Has Secured New Position.

Mrs. George Clayton, of East Fourth street, has accepted a position as book-keeper at the Kenrick Wholesale House, on Market street. She has tendered her resignation as forelady at the Scott Knitting company's plant, which takes effect next Monday, March 21.

NEEKAMP TRIED TO ESCAPE FROM JAIL

Ironton, O., March 15.—Wm Theodore Neekamp as ring leader, a daring jail delivery was planned for Sunday night by the prisoners confined in the county jail. Sheriff Neal got next and discovered a pair of pliers, three keys and two saws secreted in Neekamp's clothing.

Women's Trial Is Postponed

The cases of Mrs. Julia Moore and other East End women who figured in a neighborhood mixup Monday have been continued until next week.

The trouble is said to have resulted from one of Mrs. Moore's neighbors calling up a woman of whom she had purchased some household effects and telling her Mrs. Moore would not pay for the goods. This caused the seller to take back one or two of the articles she had given up on credit.

Solomon Hicks has moved to Portsmouth from Argo City, Ky. He is "baching" it in the Crook house on Jonn street.

A wordy war between two teamsters attracted a crowd on East Gallia street near Raynor Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Journey and family of East Third street are preparing to move to McDermott.

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HE WARMED DYNAMITE, EXECUTOR SUING NOW

Columbus, O., Mar. 15.—A good way to get dynamite sticks to explode readily in the winter time is to place them near a red hot stove and they will thaw out. If they don't explode after that they are of no account. But it may be well to consider that all of this is more or less attended with hazard. The truth of the matter is if you really don't want to, it is not best to monkey with dynamite sticks at all. It is on a case filed in the supreme court from Lucas county by the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railroad is the plaintiff, and Stanislaus Tafelski, administrator of Joseph Bugaj, is the defendant, that it is the custom of the employes of the railroad to warm the sticks of dynamite in cold weather so that they will explode easier in blasting. On a cold day Joseph Bugaj, employed by the company, went into a shanty to get warm in which there were several dynamite sticks reposing snugly on a shelf in exceedingly close proximity to a red hot stove. He stayed until he saw one of the sticks take fire and then he ran from the shanty. Before he got very far an explosion followed, which wrecked the shanty and a section of it came flying his way and killed him. The administrator sued for damages and was awarded a verdict for $2263. This finding suited neither the company nor the administrator and both agreed that there should be another trial. This time a judgment of $5500 was obtained. This was satisfactory to the administrator but not to the company, and Monday it took the case to the highest court. The victim of the accident left a wife and eight minor children.

BACK TO THE FARM SAYS AL G.

New York, March 15.—A. G. Field, 67 years old, has been a minstrel half a century and now he is going back to the farm. He has bought land near Columbus, O., and is waiting only for the close of the theatrical season to grasp the plow handles.

"This stage business is getting old," he says. "I want to turn back the years and try to live again the days of patches and freckles, stone bruises and real laughter, I want to feel that ecstasy that only comes to a boy when the cork he uses as a bobber goes under the water—when something is pulling on the line like a seared mule."

Mr. Field says he is going in for scientific farming.

Gates Damage Suit Has Been Settled

Concerning the settlement of the damage suit growing out of the tragic death of a brother of W. W. Gates, of this city, Tuesday's Enquirer said:

"On Thanksgiving evening, 1906, Dr. Edward S. Gates was returning to his home from a visit to a patient. It was growing late and as a Thanksgiving dinner was awaiting him at his home, he hurried his machine along at a high rate of speed. At the Red Bank crossing of the P., C., C. & St. L. railroad he slowed up but hearing no train, started to cross, just as his machine reached the center of the tracks a fast express bore down upon him, striking the auto, reducing it to splinters and killing the doctor. His widow, Edith B. Gates, through Attorney C. A. McDermid, filed suit in the superior court, asking for $10,000 damages for his death. Yesterday the case was settled through the probate court, the widow accepting $2,000 in compromise."

Cure Defect In Civic Service

Columbus, O., Mar. 15.—It has become known that the present municipal code is defective in the civil service section. This was discovered through the suspension of a policeman on the local force, who at once applied to the civil service commission for reinstatement, holding that the suspension was not effective until approved by the body. Representative Braun, of this city, offered a bill correcting this error. It provides that when a chief of police or fire department suspends an employe the director of public safety is to passed upon it for confirmation or reduction.

The director can also suspend any employe directly under his control and give him a hearing on charges within five days. A general appeal to the civil service commission can be made within 10 days for a lifting of the order of suspension.

Marshal's Busy Day.

Hanging Rock, March 16.—Sunday was Marshal Barr's busy day. He arrested nine men for drunkenness. Each was fined $1 and costs.

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James Has Not Returned Yet

James Troutt, a brick yard employe, who left his family Sunday, taking all loose money in the house, has not yet returned from Maysville. His wife and two children have sought refuge at the home of her sister, Mrs. Clint Platt, of West Second street.

ATTENDED FUNERAL AT WAKEFIELD, OHIO

Mrs. Wm. Nageleisen, Mrs. Joe Harris and sisters Misses Belle, Anna and Genevieve Castor were called to Wakefield Monday to attend the funeral of their aunt, Miss Malinda Castor. The funeral services took place Monday afternoon at Bailey Chapel. The one sister Miss Belle will stay and keep house for her father, Henry Castor, until he disposes of his farm and stock after which he will make his home with his daughter, Mrs. Joe Harris of East Twelfth street.

SUNDAY REVIVAL ECHOES IN YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO

Youngstown, O., March 15.—The largest dancing pavilion in this section of the state, 100x260 feet, will be erected at Idora park, this spring. The Billy Sunday revival, in which dancing was one of the amusements attacked by the evangelist, has not frightened the traction officials who control the park.

A north side whist club which was disrupted by the Sunday revival, has become a prayer club. A pastor of one of the leading down town churches has been named a committee to secure some game to take the place of whist.

He is now receiving suggestions from his friends and will make a report shortly. He says he has received some very interesting ideas.

Takes New Position.

Miss Pauline Mick has taken a position in the millinery branch at Anderson's. She has had considerable experience in millinery work and is a young lady of excellent taste.

TELLS OF VISIT TO GREAT CAVE

Alan Jordan, owner of the Washington hotel, during his recent trip south had the pleasure of exploring the famed Mammoth Cave of Kentucky. Mr. Jordan says that owing to the fact that the cave is now in the hands of the last surviving member of the family originally owning same, little has been spent in recent years in keeping up the surroundings, but at the death of the owner they will be offered for sale. There are certain to be two bidders, the government and the L. & N. railway, and no matter which acquires the cave it is certain to be improved in every way, such as lighted with electricity, made easier of approach and the like.

CLASS CONTEST CALLED OFF

Last night the leaders of the Trinity Men's Bible class and the Young Men's class met in the pastor's study to discuss certain aspects of the contest between the two classes to secure new members, during the month of March. The leaders of both sides were full of enthusiasm and confidence over their prospects of winning. It was learned that a few invitations had been sent by mistake to men who are members of other churches, their names having been given to the committee as not members of any Sunday school. This, it seems, has caused criticism of men and methods. Both classes were anxious to continue the contest, but rather than have motives misunderstood and men misjudged, and always desiring to maintain harmonious relationship with all churches, it was decided to discontinue the contest. Committees were appointed to arrange for a great joint banquet of the two classes in the near future.

While the contest is off, the efforts to secure new members from the large number of men who do not attend Sunday school anywhere, will not cease.

Filmore Musser Has Gone South

Filmore Musser left Tuesday on a 10 days' business trip south. He will visit his brother-in-law, Henry Oakes, at Yazoo City, Miss. Mr. Oakes formerly lived in the French Grant and now owns a large plantation near Yazoo City. Upon the return trip Mr. Musser expects to visit Walter Cissna at his plantation near Memphis.

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Baby Died Monday.

A four-day-old baby son of John W. Sohner and wife of the Hotel St. Louis, died Monday night of inanition. Burial took place Tuesday afternoon.

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Rev. A. Haley and family.

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RENT LORBERG HOME ON EAST FOURTH ST.

Gus and Laura Etterling have rented the Lorberg-Mick home on East Fourth street and will keep house there. Mr. Etterling is employed at the Breeco Manufacturing company, while his sister will take a position at the Selby Shoe Co.

To Install Fixtures.

A representative of the Cincinnati Butchers' Supply Company was here Tuesday preparing to install the fixtures of Pierce Frederick's new meat market on West Second street. Pierce will have one of the best equipped and most attractive meat stores in the city.

Change of Residence.

Mrs. Rosa Mick and daughters have moved from their home on East Fourth street to the Herman Herms suburban home on Kinney's Lane. Her brother, H. A. Lorberg, will also make his home with her.

New Bicycle Racks.

R. S. Prichard placed a number of new bicycle racks advertising his garage all over town Tuesday morning.

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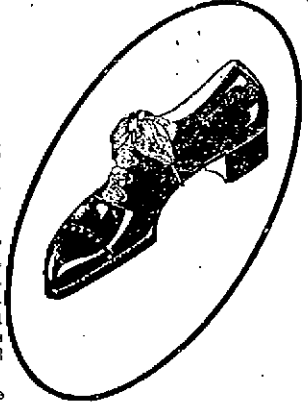

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The soutache braided, single breasted semi-fitting coat has conventional sleeves, a deep rolling collar and fastens at the waist line with two fancy buttons. The rolling brim sailor of chamois straw is faced with dark brown velvet, and its crown is trimmed with brown velvet ribbon and a cluster of fancy feathers.

little daughter, Caroline, are visiting her mother and sister, Mrs. Caroline Heron and Miss Kate Heron, of Connorsville, Ind.

Mrs. R. B. Cross had as guest the past week Mrs. J. S. Broomhall, of Peebles.

First Baptist Women's Aid society will meet Thursday afternoon at the church.

Mrs. Ernest Veneer, of Mound street, had as guests recently, Mrs. Fred Leepine and daughter, little Miss Sadie Leepine, of South Webster.

The Buckeye club will entertain with a winter picnic Friday evening at the home of Mrs. William Doerr, when the husbands of the club matrons will be honored guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turner, of Gephart's station, are the proud possessors of twin babies, born to them Monday at their new residence place, the Chris Sowers farm, near Gephart's, from where the Sowers family recently more to the home they purchased, the Cadot homestead, Wheelersburg.

Friends of Misses Annie and Sallie Bennett, of East Second street, will regret to learn that both are confined to bed by illness. Miss Annie has had a narrow escape from an attack of pneumonia.

The twelfth recital of the Ladies' Musical, designated "ensemble day," delighted all attendants, the number being large and including the following from a distance:

Mrs. George Cole, of Hollister, Cal., guest of Miss Lollie Anderson; Mrs. Malcolm Henry's visitor, Mrs. Frank Irwin, of Manchester; Mrs. William Schilling's guest, Miss Helen Snodgrass, of Kenton.

The program given by the following local celebrities could not well be other than decidedly pleasing:

Pianists Mrs. Frank Williams, Mrs. Muriel Larew, Miss Mary K. Reed, Miss Lollie Anderson and Miss Minnie Smith.

Czerwinski Trio—Mrs. Albert Wilhelm, Miss Alice Blake and Mrs. George Kah.

Double Quartette — Mrs. Roy Lynn, Mrs. W. D. James, Mrs. George Kah, Miss Harriet Scarff, Mrs. George Martin, Mrs. Pearl Selby, Mrs. Charles Storck and Miss Minnie Smith.

The program follows:

Slavonic Dance ....Dvorak
Czerwinski Trio.
Allegro Brilliante .....Mendelssohn
Piano Duo.
Mrs. Muriel Larew,
Miss Mary Reed.
Birds of Spring Valse...Brinkworth
Double Quartette.
Norwegian Dance ....Greig
Humoreske ....Dvorak
Spiccato (Studie) ....Bohm
Czerwinski Trio.
Galop de Concert.........L. Milde
Two Piano—eight Hand.

The able accompanist to the double quartette of sweet singers was Mrs. George O. Newman, first president of the Musical and one of this city's best musicians. Upon her much of the success of the octette depended, and most ably did she enact her part. That each number in the remarkably fine program was faultlessly rendered was proven by the well-merited applause—the voice of the audience.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander La Croix Beatty and family will rent their cottage home at 1403 Waller street, and move to a larger house in order that their recently widowed daughter, Mrs. Simon Balmert, may establish herself with them after she breaks up her cosy home on East Third, in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kardin are at home from Wellston, where the visited Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Goddard.

A chicken supper at Valley chapel, on the Chillicothe pike will be among Thursday evening's available gastronomical pleasures to autoists and others.

A church supper at Trinity will be another good menu available to the public Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Heisel, of East Ninth, will move in May to the Alger property on Franklin avenue, which they purchased this week from Real Estate Agent Merle Duduit. The many friends of the Algers will regret to hear that they expect to leave the first of May for their new home in Savannah, Ga.

Mrs. William Crawford will be host at this week's meeting of the Friday Kensington club.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bowman and baby, William Alfred, of Pittsburg, expect to continue their visit to the Cramer home until next week.

Visitors to relatives here, Mr. and Mrs. John Reinoehl and son, have returned to Mansfield.

Dr. S. S. Halderman and daughters, Misses Laura and Katharine, and Miss Katharine Mueller, were among recent auto visitors to Ironton.

The Portsmouth Reading club met in regular session Monday evening at the ideal home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Coe of East Second, with their son, Master Morrison Coe and his cousin, Charles Baird Adams as little doorkeepers and with the following members present: Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Tremper, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Scudder, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Schwartz, Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Kenoe, Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Rardin, Dr. Margaret Fulton, Mrs. Frances Helfenstein and sister, Miss Thyrza Spry, Dr. and Mrs. R. O. LeBaron, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Thomas, Misses Clara Waller, Lucy W. Hall, Gladys Evans, Alice Duduit. The presiding officer, Mr. Coe, announced the program which consisted of readings as follows:

The Courtin' (Lowell) Miss Waller.

"Hiawatha's Wooing," (Longfellow) Mrs. LeBaron.

The Old Man Dreams (Holmes) Miss Evans.

"Courtship of Miles Standish," Dr. J. S. Rardin.

Short Poems, or roll call quotations, by all present.

Business followed the entertaining program. Preliminary arrangements for the celebration of the 40th anniversary of the club, next October, were broached by the committee, Dr. J. S. Rardin, Miss Hall, Miss Evans, who will appoint sub-committees. The occasion will be a banquet—perhaps at hotel Washington or perhaps at the home of a club member. The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mr. S. R. Ross and daughter, Miss Anna Ross, of Court street.

On the way from the Ladies' Musical Monday, some of the members were entertained with grand opera from a fine Victrolla at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Russell of No. 30 West Fourth, where they will be glad to have any music lover hear the wonderful musical machine. On Tuesday night, it will be a feature of the entertainment at the Nickelodeon and thus give the public the chance to hear the great artists in grand opera—Melba, Schuman-Heinke and Evan Williams, the noted Welsh singer who resides at Akron, and who the coming season will take the part of Trojan in the children's part of the May Festival. Among his Columbus pupils is a former Portsmouth resident, Mrs. William Hast, whom he urges to sing in grand opera for which he thinks she is well qualified.

Mrs. James A. Maxwell entertained her Bigelow Sunday school class of fourteen boys and their special girl friends Monday evening with a delightful party. The pleasures included flinch, checkers, dominoes and other games. Excellent refreshments of ices and cake were served at the customary hour. Miss Alta Eason, Miss Violet Cunningham assisted charmingly in entertaining the merry company of young people.

Mr. and Mrs. William Briggs have returned from a visit to their son, Mr. Warren Briggs of the O. S. U.

The Second Street Whist will meet Wednesday instead of Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. L. Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Lilly and son Master Lake L. of Buckley, W. Va., are here with a view to buying Mr. James A. Maxwell's 300 acre farm on the West Side or, if not that farm some other farm in Scioto county.

Mrs. Robert Clutts of Wheelersburg, who has been ill, is better.

Trinity M. E. King's Heralds will meet with Miss Della Evans of East Fourth, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Samuel Coleman, who has been here on an extended visit to relatives, accompanied her husband back to Cincinnati Sunday. Sam is now a linotype operator and is very much taken up with his new occupation.

Mrs. Mary Laykor of West Sixth street, has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Postal in Cincinnati.

The Irontonian says: Sister Rose, one of the capable and loved Sisters of St. Lawrence school, will leave in a few days for the Mother House at Rochester, Minn., having been selected as assistant superior. Sister Rose will be succeeded here by Sister Augustine.

Sister Rose was formerly teacher at Holy Redeemer school, this city.

The B. Z. C.'s will be entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Sheridan, 807 John street.

Mrs. James W. Newman will entertain the Monday Bridge club Thursday afternoon. All members are asked to R. S. V. P.

General and Mrs. Jacob Smith and niece, Miss Charlotte Bannon who sailed for Europe recently and were due to arrive at Naples last Saturday, have not as yet been heard from by their Portsmouth relatives.

Mrs. J. A. Minch of Chillicothe, who has been visiting Mrs. Charles Koger, of East Eighth street, has returned home.

Among the attendants at the Scudder-Waite wedding will be Princeton college chums of the groom and Western college friends of the bride and also Wellesley college friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Beatty and family have rented the East Fourth street house being vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hurth who will reside in Cincinnati.

Style and comfort in Lehman's footwear.

On Tuesday, the "faithful few" plied their needles busily, in an all day sewing bee under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of All Saints Episcopal church, at the home of Mrs. Geo. O. Newman. At noon work was laid aside to partake of a luncheon of pimento sandwiches, saratoga chips, pickles, jelly, brown bread and butter and delicious coffee, made by the hostess, famous as a good coffee maker. The garments made during Lent are various and will be shipped to St. Paul's school, Lawrenceville, Va., an industrial training school and hospital for negroes. As next week will be holy week the meeting Tuesday will be the last of this lenten season.

Attractive Costumes For Spring Brides

With the bridal gown, travelling suit, and afternoon frock planned for a trousseau the spring bride has most of her difficult work done and if she cares to follow the hints of the garments illustrated above, she need seek no further for ideas, and incidentally she may be sure her clothing, at least the outer costumes, will be correct in style, for these pictured gowns are in the latest Parisian modes.

If these designs are developed from any of the new spring fabrics, the results will surely be effective.

Mr. Royal Oakes was called home from Anderson, Ind., on account of the illness of his children, Mary and Charles Oakes. He was accompanied home from Anderson by his sick brother, Mr. Gould Oakes, who went on to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Oakes of the French Grant to recuperate.

The Misses Cottle of West Third street will entertain a few friends Tuesday evening.

Miss Dorothy Lillich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lillich, is alarmingly ill with jaundice.

Miss Marian Reilly went to Cincinnati Tuesday to visit her aunt, Mrs. James Y. Gordon.

Spencer Chapter, D. A. R. met in business session Monday afternoon at the home of the regent Mrs. T. C. Anderson. Five new members were elected to membership.

D. F. Creekbaum, Piano Dealer, 119 East Fourth street.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Scioto County, Ohio, Court of Common Pleas.

Homer M. Lurty, plaintiff vs. Nettie M. Purty, defendant.

Nettie M. Lurty, whose last known place of residence was Chicago, Illinois, but whose place of residence is at this time unknown to the plaintiff herein, will take notice that on the 1st day of March, A. D., 1910, the said Homer M. Lurty filed in the court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, his petition, being cause No. 12223, upon the docket of said court, against said Nettie M. Lurty, praying for a divorce from said Nettie M. Lurty upon the grounds of adultery. Said cause will be for hearing on and after six weeks from the first publication of this notice.

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HOMER M. LURTY.

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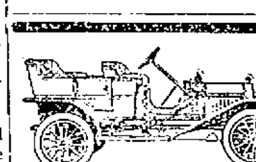

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Mr. and Mrs. James H. Doley and family leave Friday for a visit to Columbus, to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William O. Dewey of 519 Linen avenue.

George Doley entertained with a delightful party Friday evening March 11th at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. James H. Doley, 1405 Findlay, in honor of his eighteenth birthday. The evening was spent very pleasantly with games and music. Refreshments of ices and cake, candy and fruit were served at the usual hour. He received a number of presents including some beautiful flowers. The guests are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. George Reiniger, Mrs. Catherin Doley, Mr. and Mrs. John Bramble, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Frith, Mrs. Bickel, Georgia Dillon, Robert Holbrook, Dewitt Arnold, Edward Jennette, Steve Sargant, Blanche Hill, Ida Burkhardt, Ethel Dennings, Lyle Burfield, Roy Dillon, Grace Bassler, Edna Bowser, Loraine Smith, Gladys Damon, John Bowser, Laura Ledgler, Albert Melcher, Wilbert Smith, James Doley, Jr., Lucille Doley and Charles Doley. The guests departed at a late hour wishing the host many happy returns of the day.

In handsomely engraved cards, the following invitations were issued Tuesday:

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Waite request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Katherine to Mr. Charles Damarin Scudder on the evening of Tuesday the fifth of April, nineteen hundred and ten, at half after seven o'clock. Bigelow Methodist Church, Portsmouth, Ohio.

In two accompanying cards were the following announcements:

Reception from eight until ten o'clock at one hundred and sixty-one East Fourth street.

At home after the fifteenth of June, four hundred and twelve Washington street, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Both bride and groom elect belong to the oldest and most aristocratic Portsmouth families and have hosts of friends who will be pleased to hear of the approaching nuptials of this popular young couple.

Little Miss Ethelyn Johnston of Boundary street is ill with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. William Russell's two cute little sons, Raymond and Donald, have recovered from measles.

Miss Grace Turner is visiting relatives and friends in Columbus.

Trinity Epworth League met Monday evening at the church in business session.

Miss Rowena Rhodes is here from Portsmouth spending the week with her friend, Miss Mary Brownstead.—Ironton Register.

Mrs. Alfred Richardson will entertain the Wednesday Afternoon Kensington in this week's regular session.

Miss Margaret Mills entertained the S. S. C. club at her home Monday evening. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Edna Wilhelm on West Third street.

Mr. Grover Bryant, of Jackson, is guest of local relatives.

Mrs. Samuel M. Johnson and her little daughter, Caroline, are visiting her mother and sister, Mrs. Caroline Heron and Miss Kate Heron, of Connorsville, Ind.

Times Daily Recipes

Cavaire Sandwiches.

Mix one-half can caviare, one teaspoonful onion juice and a drop of lemon juice. Cut thin rounds of bread, butter and spread.

Russian Sandwiches.

Chop olives fine and moisten with mayonnaise. Cut bread into thin, narrow strips, spread one-half with chopped olives and the rest with caviare. Press together in pairs.

Salmon and Cucumber Pickle.

Chop fine a little salmon and sliced cucumber pickle, pour over it a little melted butter, dust with red pepper and salt and spread.

Cheese and Anchovy.

Cream together a half cupful grated cheese, a tablespoonful butter, a teaspoonful anchovy paste and a salt spoonful paprika.

Mushroom Sanwiches.

Cut mushrooms in small pieces, cook in butter until tender, season with salt and paprika and cream to make good consistency for spreading and let it just boil once. Add a little lemon juice and grating of nutmeg and spread on thin slices of whole wheat bread.

Cream Cheese and Pineapple.

Chop pineapple fine and drain off the juice. Spread bread thinly with cheese, sprinkle with the minced pin-apple and press together. Cut in thin, slender stips.

French Sandwiches.

Stamp out thin slices of white bread with a cooky cutter. Spread half with cream cheese and currant jelly blended to a pink cream. On top of this spread a second round of bread lightly buttered and spread with chopped pistachio nuts.

Roquefurt Cheese and Egg.

Mix to a creamy paste Roquefort cheese and one hard boiled egg. Add salt and paprika to taste, with a dash of lemon juice or vinegar. Chop fine a little celery, mix and spread.

Pepper Sandwiches.

Fry sweet peppers in butter; cool, chop fine; season with Anchovy catsup, and spread with lettuce cut in ribbons between thin slices of white bread.

Cheese and Radish Sandwiches.

Slice crisp and tender radishes fine; chill on the ice; then mix with some grated American cheese and whipped cream.

Rarebit Sandwiches.

Make a Boston rarebit with cream and spread between slices of white bread or crackers.

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OBJECTS TO PREACHER PRAYING FOR GEO. COX

Editor Sibley, of the Gallipolis Tribune, breaks a long silence to remark:

"A minister down in Cincinnati is publicly praying for George B. Cox and inciting others to do the same. He professes the best of motives, but it is our private opinion that when a preacher publicly does that kind of thing for a private citizen without invitation, he is guilty of assault, and should be liable to punishment for the offense. And we are no adherent of George B. Cox's either."

No Need Of Guardian

John Hoffer is capable of taking care of himself and of spending his $100 per month pension was the opinion of Judge Beatty in Probate court Tuesday when he ordered the guardianship of Attorney Jos. T. Micklethwait terminated at once. The Judge said that no evidence had been produced to show that Hoffer is in need of a guardian.

Considerable time was taken Tuesday by the attorneys arguing the case and was warmly contested on each side. Captain N. W. Evans, attorney for Mrs. Hoffer gave notice of appeal and the appeal bond was fixed at $100.

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HAD BUSY DAY SEEING HIS LODGE BROTHERS

Clarence Wright did duty Sunday as a member of the sick committee of an Odd Fellows' lodge and covered many a mile before the day ended. Among those he visited were Charles Baker of Beattyville, Ky., Philip Ruhlman, who is slowly improving at his home on Chillicothe pike, William H. Ferris of Grant street, who is also recovering, George Youngman of Eleventh and Offnere streets and his son-in-law, Ed Spicer, who is suffering with a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Ill With Pneumonia.

A three-year-old son of Charles Cronin, an N. & W. terminal employe of Twelfth street, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

CAUSE OF ECZEMA EXPLAINED.

After years of debate medical authorities are now agreed that Eczema and other skin diseases are not seated in the blood, but are caused by myriads of microscopic animals gnawing the flesh just below the epidermis. The patient is perfectly healthy, it is only the skin that is diseased.

Hence, scientists are now agreed that you must cure the skin through the skin. The medicine must be in liquid form in order to penetrate properly. And we can say with confidence that we have the true remedy for Eczema in our store.

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Fisher & Streich.

BORLAND CASE IS EXCITING SYMPATHY

Through a letter written by Alex Cundiff, of John street, who was seriously injured at Salem, Ill., recently, when a 200 pound ash pan dropped on his foot while he was employed in the railroad shops of that city, it has been learned that the sympathy of the entire community is with Mrs. J. H. Boreland, a former Portsmouth woman, who is in jail at that place on a charge of bigamy, preferred by her husband who is a resident of Marion, O., and who when a resident of Portsmouth was employed at the Portsmouth Steel Co.

The story of the matrimonial efforts of Mrs. Borland was told in the Times recently, as to how she was but recently married at Salem, Ill., to a printer by the name of Eugene Chase. Then the woman sent her lawful husband a note under a name other than her own, informing him that "she" had committed suicide.

He recognized the hand writing as that of his wife and placed the letter in the hands of the proper authorities. Mrs. Borland was then arrested, having confessed her duplicity to her newly made husband. She was thrown into jail, and according to Mr. Cundiff she has been treated most cruelly. This has become noised about and she has thereby won the sympathy of the community, and it is said will ultimately gain her freedom, as her husband has signified his intentions of again taking her to his own home and letting by-gones be by-gones.

Mr. Cundiff writes that as soon as he is able to travel, he will come home to recover from his injuries. It will not be necessary to amputate his foot as was at first supposed.

JIM WAS ONCE RAILROAD MAN

Chief Davidson is not the only railroad man now in the city's service, for there is Safety Director James P. Brennan, erstwhile fireman and car shop employe.

Jimmy, years ago worked at the old N. & W. car shops alongside Will Dragoo and others equally well known. He next became a fireman but after nine weeks concluded the work was too strenuous. During that time he was in two accidents, the first of which cost several lives. That settled Jimmy and he went back to shop work, taking employment at the C. & O. plant in Huntington. The Cincinnati division of the road had not yet been started. Jim's next venture was the grocery business and this he followed for almost 20 years.

IN SERIOUS CONDITION FROM THE MEASLES

Edmund, the eldest son of Grocer Theo. Pierron, and who has been ill with the measles for several days, is now in a serious condition. Mrs. Pierron too is under the weather with a severe cold.

I like "The Man,' but oh that new suit at Haas'.

CARPENTERS PLAN FOR A BIG TIME

Judging from the amount of interest taken in the open meeting to be given by the Carpenters' Union Wednesday evening in Harugari hall, the event will be one of the most popular ever given by this splendid organization. The fact that a fine spread will be served at the close of the meeting is not detracting one whit from the interest, either, as carpenters are always able to get up a good appetite when the occasion demands.

The meeting, while given under the auspices of the union, will nevertheless be open to non-union carpenters and contractors as well, and it is hoped by the committee having the affair in charge that every carpenter and builder in the city will be present. An open discussion will prevail and any one who may care to address the assemblage will be perfectly welcome to do so. It is one time in the year when the members meet on a common plane, forget their little differences and discuss matters that are of interest to the entire craft.

General Organizer Sullivan will be present and deliver an address. He has a splendid reputation as an orator, is fair and frank in his speech and a man who knows exactly what he is talking about.

Attorney Nate B. Gilliland has been invited to address the meeting and there will likely be several other local speakers.

Despite the fact that a large crowd will be present, the committee has made ample preparation to take care of all who wish to attend. Remember the affair takes place tomorrow evening and the program will begin promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY.—ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY.
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Measles Are Everywhere

New York, March 15.—According to a statement by the department of health, the past week has been a record one for measles, there being 1703 new cases reported from the whole city.

Considering the matter of population, Brooklyn ranks first in having the greatest number of cases, there being 779 last week.

Papers Not Received

No papers have as yet been received by Referee Mark A. Crawford, concerning the involuntary bankruptcy proceedings in the Ralph Bendure matter, mention of which was made in Monday's Times. It requires some considerable time, possibly twenty days before the defendant can be adjudicated a bankrupt, unless he waives to all questions.

Was In the South.

Andrew Thompson a well known retired Kentucky farmer, returned home Monday from a month's trip through the South and Southwest.

Mesdames Snyder and Devoss of Sandy Springs and Rockville respectively were here Sunday visiting their stricken father, Richard Newman, a West Second street pensioner who is very ill.

Paper Hanging

Have your paper hanging done by union labor. The following are members in good standing of the Paper Hangers Union:

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J. B. Craigmiles, 1108 Lincoln.
Peter Grandison, Corner Third and Washington.
Dan Faulkner, Oak Hill, O.
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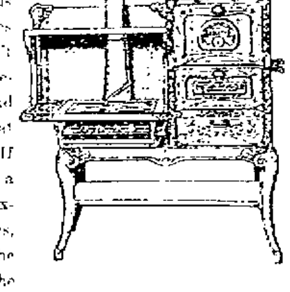

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Legislative News

Columbus, O., Mar. 15.—May flowers will be blossoming before the legislators lay aside their work and return to their homes. A week ago it was thought adjournment would come about the middle of next month. The middle of May will be more like it now. The prolongation of the session is due to the disclosure of Attorney General Denman of the infirmities of the Cole law, the biggest revenue producer the state has, which he does not believe would stand a court test suit. It brings in more than two million dollars from public service corporations, and an adverse decision would cause the state to lose most of this income.

The Langdon state tax commission bill, which comes up as special order in the house Wednesday afternoon, is to be amended to help get around the situation by the weaknesses of the Cole law. Under this law a tax of one per cent has been collected from the gross earnings of railroads, electric lines, power and water companies, express companies and other going concerns. Because this tax has been levied on receipts on business from outside the state the law is believed to be invalid. The United States supreme court has held, in a Texas case, that the state cannot collect such a tax from outside business. The tax may be collected on all business which begins and ends in the state.

Radical changes are to be made in the Langdon bill to meet the requirements. The Cole law tax is to be increased on Ohio business and to make up the loss of revenue from taxes heretofore collected from interstate business the Willis law tax of one-tenth of one per cent on all private Ohio corporations, based on their paid-up or subscribed capital stock, is to be increased to one-fifth of one per cent. So an Ohio corporation capitalized at $1,000,000 now paying to the secretary of state annually $1000 under the Willis law, in the future, if the change is agreed upon, will pay $2000. A $10,000 corporation, now paying $10 will pay $20. The Cole law increase will be one per cent on the first $100,000 gross receipts; two per cent on the second, and three per cent on $300,000 and upwards.

Wednesday will be the big legislative day of the week. In the house the three most important measures of that body are slated for consideration, but it is not likely that more than one will be disposed of. The first is the Langdon bill, the second the Smith bill, limiting the tax rate to one per cent, and the third is the Woods utilities bill, creating a commission for all public utilities and wiping out the railroad commission. In the senate at the same time will come up the Aldorf bill, which is the same as the Smith one per cent bill in the house. It looks very much as if both measures will pass and that means that no taxpayer can be made to pay more than one per cent, but this must be on a full valuation. If a dwelling is worth $3000 it goes on the tax duplicate for that amount and is taxed one per cent. Now it may be on the duplicate for only $1500 or perhaps $2000, but may be paying a rate of more than three per cent. The new scheme seeks to make all property pay on its full value. Another important measure coming up in the senate Wednesday afternoon is the Yount bill, authorizing the state to manufacture its own school text books or to contract with a concern for their manufacture. This is a duplicate of the Indiana law. The bill creates a commission which fixes the price at which books shall be sold. The purpose is to bring the prices of school books down to a minimum.

Another revenue producing bill on the senate calendar for action this week is the Paare bill, restoring the inheritance tax law. It raises from $5000 to $10,000 estates which will not be subject to the tax, which is two per cent. All estates over $10,000 must pay this tax. The bill will probably pass the senate.

Representative Calvey, Cuyahoga, is putting up a fight to get his bill for $100,000 for a woman's reformatory out of the hands of the house finance committee, which has had it several weeks and is not showing any disposition to do anything with it. He believes if he could get it back to the house it would be passed. The institution is for first offenders largely who can be reformed.

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You will find our prices fully 25 per cent less than elsewhere. Select now and when alteration is necessary we may finish in time for Easter wear. All alterations free.
Handsome line of Skirts, Waists, Petticoats, Muslin garments.
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New Corset Cover Embroideries, special 18 inch 15c yd.
New Veilings.
R. & G. Corsets, in all the new Models, 50c, $1.00, $1.50.
New Umbrellas, choice line of handles.

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For Easter Costumes at unmatchable prices.
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Grand assortment of wool fabrics.
27 inch Jacquard Silks in all shades 48c yard.
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Don't fail to visit our Rug and Lace Curtain department when you begin house cleaning. We can save you money on Room Size Rugs, Linoleums, Curtains, etc.

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Local Man To Get Real Hero Medal

Don't be at all surprised of a Carnegie medal for bravery is shortly worn on the manly chest of Charles Redepenning, of this city, all because of an heroic act he performed last fall when he saved the lives of Roscoe Henderson and Frank Hermann.

The news of his brave act has reached the ears of the trustees of the philanthropic Scotchman's fund and they have ordered an investigation of the circumstances.

It will be recalled that last fall the three men above named rowed up the Scioto river. The river was raising sharply and the current being swift, the boat was dashed against a large snag on the return trip, and the three men thrown into the water. Being a good swimmer, Mr. Redepenning towed his two companions to a stump that was far from shore, and commanded them to stay there until he could rescue them.

He plunged into the swollen stream, swimming to shore. Finding a John boat, partially filled with water, he broke the lock, bailed it out and finding a board paddled his way to the shipwrecked men who were in deep water, and who could not have held out much longer. He got them to shore safely. Redepenning was such a modest hero that he has possibly never given his experience a second thought. Someone notified the Carnegie Hero commission, however, and they are looking into the matter.

PLAN TEMPORARY HIGH SCHOOL AT SECOND ST.

Unless present plans of the board of education are changed the high school will finish the last six or eight weeks of the year in the Second street building. It is the intention, as soon as a contract to move the new portion of the present high school is awarded, to have work on same begin. It is hoped to have the ground cleared of the old and new parts, the former being torn down, so that work on the new structure will begin early.

The present grades in the Second street school will be distributed between the Bond and Union street schools and the high school occupy Second street. The same rule will partially obtain during a part of next year as the portion of the high school to be saved will not be sufficient to accomodate the entire high school.

Clint Piatt, the B. & O. S.-W. coach cleaner, is off duty wrestling with a severe attack of the grip.

Free Sample For Baby's Ills

Something can and must be done for the puny, crying baby, for the child that refuses to eat and is restless in its sleep. And since the basis of all health is the proper working of the digestive organs, look first to the condition of the stomach and bowels.

A child should have two full and free movements of the bowels a day. This energetic of the bowels is very important, as with it comes a clear head, a lightness of step, good appetite and sound sleep. But it is equally important to know what to give the child in the emergency of constipation and indigestion. Cathartics are too strong and salts and other purgatives are not only too strong, but the child relents them because of their bad taste. Have you ever tried Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin? It is a liquid tonic that families have been using for a quarter of a century. It is mild, pleasant-tasting and promptly effective. It is good for you as well as the child, but there is nothing better to be found for children. They like its taste—you will not have to force them to take it.

First of all, if you have not yet used it, Dr. Caldwell would like to send you a sample bottle free of charge. In this way you can try it before buying. Later, when convinced of its merits, you can get it of your druggist at fifty cents and one dollar a bottle, just as thousands of other families are doing. The family of Mr. D. W. Spangler of Strattonville, Pa., as well as that of Mr. A. S. Johnson of Walnut Grove, Tenn., started with it in that way and now write that it is their one family necessity next to food itself. If you are unfortunate enough to have a sickly child, one given to constipation and indigestion, you should send for a free sample of this remedy.

Dr. Caldwell personally will be pleased to give you any medical advice you may desire for yourself or family pertaining to the stomach, liver or bowels absolutely free of charge. Explain your case in a letter and he will reply to you in detail. For the free sample simply send your name and address on a postal card or otherwise. For either request the doctor's address is Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 8510 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

Easter Hair Ornaments

It's been the custom for many years to wear something new on Easter day. Our magnificent new Back Combs with Barrettes tomatch fill the requirements perfectly. The decorations are of 18 karat solid gold inlaid, marked with beautiful jewels. The designs are beautiful beyond description, one with richly jeweled dragon flies, another with a gleaming butterfly among golden flowers, another is ablaze with all the glory of the peacock's feathers.

Gifts of jewels to the young girl crystalizes all her ideas of spring beauty and promise into a concrete form symbolic of the better ideals of life. May we show you our line of beautiful Easter Jewelry.

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JR. O. U. A. M. HAD A FINE MEETING LAST THURSDAY

Portsmouth Council No. 38, Jr. O. U. A. M. was honored Thursday, March 10th, by a visit from L. B. McDonald of Springfield, state councillor of the Jr. O. U. A. M., of the state of Ohio, and also members from the councils of Buena Vista, New Boston, Ironton, Scioto Furnace, South Webster, Harrisonville, McDermott, Vanceburg, Ky., and other councils. Sr. Councillor McDonald is touring the state particularly in the interests of the Jr. O. U. A. M. and his address at the meeting of the council was one of the best that the order has ever had the pleasure of listening to for some time. There were something like 70 visitors present from the various councils besides the members of Portsmouth council. After the address the council sat down to a banquet. The order for the county is becoming one of the largest and all councils are in a flourishing condition.

'Banty' Sheets Was Arrested

Ironton, March 15.—Rollin, or as he is better known "Banty" Sheets, whose name is a very familiar one to the police of this city and Portsmouth, was arrested Monday by Officer Smith upon a drunk and disorderly charge. A charge of furnishing intoxicating liquors was also placed against him by the arresting officer. Banty was "taking" Storms alley when Barney hove in sight.

Many Babies Come to Town

Dr. E. O. McCall has been busy piloting the stork since Saturday evening. The bird left a boy for Oscar Sherman, a former Steel plant foreman now in Birmingham, Ala., the interesting event taking place at the home of Mrs. Sherman's father, Rev. Mr. Porter of New Boston. Harry Mott, a well known Steel plant employe of Gallia pike, was also presented with a boy. Jules Mott, a popular moulder of Boundary street, was favored with a new son while Charles Cole, a Pure Milk company employe of Bond street, was presented with a handsome little daughter. The stork before visiting its flight left a baby boy for Henry Mershon Monday night and it was a "whaler" tipping the beam at thirteen pounds. Henry is the popular young hotel keeper of Melbermott. His wife has been at the home of her mother-in-law Mrs. Jennie Mershon of Sixth and Market streets for the past week.

Record For Death List

The month of March promises to break all records for some years back in the number of deaths. To date there have been close to 50 deaths and burials, and most of these were infants carried off by measles and pneumonia. Superintendent Charles Crain and his assistants at Greenlawn cemetery dug six graves in one day last week.

Rents Lehman Room.

Peter Grandison has rented the Lehman room on Gallia square, formerly occupied by the Savoy restaurant and will move his stock of paper from Third and Washington.

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DAYTON TO BE HIS HEADQUARTERS

Sam Baldwin, who has had his headquarters here the past year as district agent for a New York insurance company, will, after April first, have his headquarters at Dayton. He will spend several days a month in this city, however. Mr. Baldwin has made many friends since coming to Portsmouth who will regret of his locating elsewhere.

A Baffling Mystery Story.

Preparations are now being made by the New York Sunday World to print in Booklet form the greatest detective story of modern times. Arrangements have not been completed with the author, hence the title of the story for the present remains unannounced. Next week's issue of this paper will give further particulars. Every one will want this great story, which is given free with the Sunday World. There will also be the words and music of a splendid song entitled "Venus, Goddess of Liberty," from "Skylark," soon to appear on Broadway.

MRS. R. S. PRINDLE DIED SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Alspaugh are in Huntington, having been called there by the death Sunday of their sister-in-law, Mrs. Jennie Carpenter Prindle, wife of R. S. Prindle. She died Sunday evening after a long illness. Mrs. Prindle was 42 years of age, and was born in Lancaster, Ohio. She was married 22 years ago to R. S. Prindle, who with a two-year-old daughter, Elizabeth, Hoy Prindle survives her. The Huntington Advertiser says that almost all of her married life was spent in Huntington and she won, by the nobility of her character and the sweet simplicity of her life, more friends than can be claimed by many people.

Funeral Wednesday and burial at Lancaster.

Mrs. Prindle's husband is one of the owners of the big Prindle Furniture Company.

Fullerton Baby Dead.

Frank Marion, seven months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marion of Fullerton, Ky., died Monday afternoon of pneumonia. Mr. Marion is employed at the N. & W. car shops. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon.

Is Doing Nicely.

John Gemperline, High street young man who was operated upon Sunday for appendicitis, is doing nicely and the outlook for his recovery is good. He is a brother of Al Gemperline who died a short time ago.

Youngest Weather Prophet In Country At Trenton

Trenton, N. J., Tuesday, March 15.—Mr. Paul H. Wendel, of this city, is the youngest weather observer in the United States. He has just been appointed for this section by Mr. Levi J. Judkins, of the Weather Bureau, and he succeeds Captain E. R. Cook, who recently retired. Captain Cook is eighty-five years old.

PAUL H. WENDEL.

The appointment of Mr. Wendel came as a surprise because of his youth, but the officials of the Weather Bureau declare he is capable of making the necessary observations and performing ably all the duties connected with the office.

Young Wendel is a son of the Rev. Hugo Wendel, pastor of Trinity German Lutheran Church who is one of the best known ministers in New Jersey.

Magnolia Lodge K. P. Plans For Big Time

Magnolia Lodge, Knights of Pythias, is planning for a big time on April 4th. At the regular meeting Monday night the lodge extended an invitation to the South Webster and Jackson lodges to confer the Knight rank on that date. It is planned to have the South Webster team put on the regular work and the Jackson drill squad furnish the military effect. Another feature of the evening's entertainment will probably be the instituting of an Oriental lodge by the Jackson team. This team is reputed to be one of the best in the state in this work. They recently instituted an Oriental lodge at South Webster and the Knights of that place declare there is nothing like it.

The Knight rank was conferred upon Frank Moon at the Magnolia meeting Monday night. There is a class of six to start in the work next Monday night. The members of Magnolia are greatly pleased with the future outlook of the lodge and great interest is being taken in the work.

Fair Deal Seems To Be Sure Thing

Directors of the Portsmouth Trotting association held a meeting Monday afternoon to close up preliminaries preparatory to a final conference next Friday afternoon with the Mt. Joy Fair association directors in reference to the consolidation of the two affairs.

There is every prospect that the combination will be effected and that the lease, buildings and good will of the local trotting company will be assigned to the Mt. Joy company. The latter will then bring all the property from their present grounds to the Portsmouth grounds and bend every energy to make a fair next fall that will not state.

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My hair was getting quite gray and falling out rapidly and I was troubled with a terrible itching of the scalp. My head was full of dandruff, which fell upon my clothes and kept me continually brushing it off. While on a visit to Rochester I heard of your Sage and Sulphur for the hair. I got a bottle and used it. A few applications relieved the itching, my hair stopped falling out and gradually came back to its natural color. It is now a nice dark brown color, soft, glossy and pliable. Several of my friends want to use it, and I want to know what you will charge me for six bottles of it.
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Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hoobler have rented the residence on West Sixth street, owned by Mrs. H. S. Grimes, recently vacated by T. D. Beahure and family. Mr. and Mrs. Hoobler are now living in one of the Kricker flats on West Seventh street. Prof. Homer Kelber, who had been rooming at the house with Mr. and Mrs. Beahure, will retain his apartments.

Boy Dead of Lockjaw.

Gallipolis, O., March 15.—C. W. Kerr, Jr., seven year old son of Mayor C. W. Kerr, died Monday of lockjaw caused by a wound from a blank cartridge.

Nail Mill To Start.

Kelly's nail mill at Ironton starts up Wednesday with a full force of men.

PIMPLES DISAPPEAR

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The dispensers of poslam, the new skin discovery, ask that notice be given that no one is urged to purchase it without first obtaining the sample package which will be sent free to any one who writes to the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West 25th street, New York. This alone is sufficient to clear the complexion and to rid the face of pimples. Every one who has tried poslam knows that the fifty-cent box, on sale at Amann's Pharmacies as well as all other drug stores, contains sufficient for the worst cases of eczema, where the surface affected is not too large. The itching ceases on first application. It will also cure acne, tetter, blotches, scaly scalp, hives, barber's and every other form of itch, including itching feet. Being flesh-colored and containing no grease, the presence of poslam on exposed surfaces, such as the face and hands, is not perceptible. Water and soap cannot be used in connection with it, as these irritate and prolong skin troubles, sometimes even causing them.

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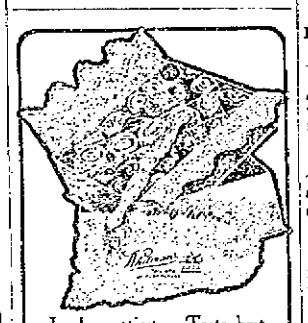

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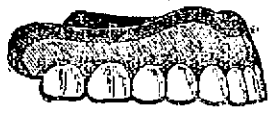

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EVENING TIMES SPORTS

BUSTER BROWN COMMITS SUICIDE IN N. Y.

LANK CAPTAIN ENDS LIFE WITH ROPE

Buffalo, N. Y., Mar. 15.—After escaping from the Batavia hospital and walking 18 miles to his home at Albion, Charles Nelson Brown (Buster), who played with the Lancaster Ohio State league team the last two summers, committed suicide Monday morning by hanging. He recently suffered a nervous breakdown. He was 27 years old. At one time he covered third base for the Buffalo Eastern league team.

It will be hard for Portsmouth fans to comprehend the import of the above dispatch, for they recall in "Buster" Brown one of the live wires in baseball, one who was in the game to his ears, scrappy and determined. Many times has he played on the local lot and he was champions of the Lancaster aggregation. He always played second base, was captain of the team, and led off with the stick. He was one of the hardest men in the business to pitch to, for he had a knack of getting the twirler's goat right at the jump. In size he was not much bigger than a package of "Honest Scrap," but in ability he was one of the grandest players that participated in the battle for the flag in the Ohio State league. He was game to the core, a great umpire baiter, and if his men did not play as they were directed they were sent to the bench. On the field he was the boss, and never hesitated to call down his men when he was on duty. As captain of the Lanks his brain work won many a game.

He was a square little fellow, not particularly popular about the circuit, but a fellow had to give in to him when it came to getting his share of decisions.

The Lancaster Gazette gives the following account of his rash act:

"The cause of his lamented act is ascribed to his having worried over ill health. Recently he suffered from a nervous breakdown and was compelled to go to the Batavia hospital in Buffalo, New York, to regain his lost strength in order that he might be able to go in for baseball again this year. However, the strain of being kept in the hospital was more than the nerves of the ex-Lank could stand, so breaking away from his confinement, he walked 18 miles to his home in Albion.

"Arriving at his home in a badly wearied condition from having walked such a great distance, Brown's mind wandered until he was finally successful in finding a rope. Bidding good-bye to all he went outside and sled in the rear of his house, and there while the fit of despondency was still upon him, attached the rope around his neck and ended his existence. A short time after he had committed the terrible deed, he was found by friends and relatives who immediately summoned a physician, but even before help could arrive the spark of vitality had been snuffed into eternity. He was 27 years of age at the time of his self-destruction and unmarried. Previous to his joining the Lancaster baseball team he had played a season with Buffalo in the Eastern league."

SAYS HOT AIR LEAGUE PARK WILL BE NUISANCE

Huntington, W. Va., March 15.—Suit seems to be pursuing the Virginia Valley league in this city. It has had a rocky road. Now Miss Agnes Thompson has applied for an injunction to prevent the V. V. league from erecting a ball park opposite her residence on Ninth street, between Washington and Virginia streets. She claims the park will be a nuisance and disturb the peace of the neighborhood. The Ohio State league team will play at Camden park.

No Word Yet.

President Quinn writes that he has heard nothing regarding the local club's claim on the services of Pitcher Helmbold and Infielder Collins, but he is expecting a message from Secretary Farrell most any day. Players like these two players should be awarded to Portsmouth.

Try-Outs.

Division boys will receive tryouts with teams in the Ohio league. Pitcher Ware has signed a Chillicothe contract, and Infielder Wessler will play with Lima.

"Hot Air" League Seems In Earnest

Cincinnati, O., Mar. 15.—The members of the Virginia Valley league were greatly enthused last week when the news leaked out that Ambrose Puttmann, the great local southpaw, who has been with the Louisville club in the American association, would connect himself with the Parkersburg club if he could secure his release from the Louisville team. A beautiful new park is being erected between Parkersburg and Marietta for this club, the contract having been let for an up-to-date grand stand. When the park is finished it will be one of the finest in a league of this class.

At Ashland the new park is fast being put in shape by the $5000 stock company President Spinney organized several weeks ago. Zeke Wilson, the well known local baseball manager, who has met with considerable success in the South Atlantic league, will handle the Ashland club the coming season.

At Charleston two parks will be used, one for week-day games and one for Sunday games. J. Benny, who won the pennant a few seasons ago for the Medicine Hat club in the Canadian league, will manage the Charleston team.

At Point Pleasant-Gallipolis, President Clyde Engle is now busily engaged in erecting a modern grand stand in Gallipolis, just across the river from Point Pleasant.

Perhaps no city in the league wants the Virginia Valley league more than the Huntington club. Mr. Thos. J. Genary has former a 30000 stock company in Huntington and he informs the officials of the league that he will raise three times that sum to get a winner for his home town.

At Montgomery President F. C. Smart is also working hard getting together a fast team.

President Spinney and Secretary Dugan are hard at work on the rules and the schedules, which will be ready for the meeting of the league next week.

BIG FIGHTS TO BE SHOWN

Those sports who are contemplating placing a bet on the outcome of the Jeffries-Johnson fight to be held at San Francisco on July 4th for the heavyweight championship of the world, are going to await the moving pictures showing the two gladiators in action at the Arcana theater on Monday and Tuesday nights, March 21 and 22, before laying any odds. There will be four rounds of the Jeffries-Sharkey fight that was held in New York several years ago, and a similar number of rounds of the Johnson-Burns mill that took place in far-off Australia two years ago, at which time the big negro won the title of heavyweight champion of the world, knocking the Kanuck out in the eighth round. Manager Potts, of the Arcana, is something of an admirer of prize fights himself and this is the reason he selected these two bouts, as it will enable the people to get a correct line on the ability of the two scrappers. Owing to the heavy expense in which he is under to secure these films, it will be necessary for him to charge an admission fee of 10 cents instead of the regular admission price of five cents.

M'ALLISTER TO PLAY WITH WACO

Columbus, O., Mar. 15.—Jack McAllister, who finished the season at Portsmouth, has received an offer from the Waco, Texas, club to play the outfield. Mac may go to the far south if terms are satisfactorily arranged.

Wants To Come—If.

Claude McCarty, an outfielder recommended by Manager Montgomery of the Zanesville Central league team, writes that he will be glad to sign a Portsmouth contract, providing the figures submitted to him are given a little boost.

BERRINGER TO QUIT GAME

Marion, O., Mar. 15.—According to a letter received by the local directors this morning from Ralph Berringer, he does not intend playing organized ball the coming season. Berringer, who has been employed in Dayton, states in the letter that he was unable to find the letter he received from the Wausau management which would make him the property of the local club. Berringer has admitted receiving advance money from Wausau, and, not being able to prove that he was ordered to report there, is also of the opinion that Wausau can claim his services. Berringer states that the directors and fans in Marion treated him fine and that he would like to play another season with the local club, but sees the conditions will not permit. He refuses to go to Wausau to play and believes he can do better by retaining his present position, which is good the year through, in addition to playing Sunday ball with the Lily Brew team, in the Dayton City league. Local fans will regret to learn that Berringer will not be in a Marion uniform this season, as it was generally believed Marion could come to terms with Wausau and retain Berringer, who was slated to captain the team.

Berringer was a "Shoemaker" last season for about six hours, being released when Manager O'Day accepted terms with the local club.

QUINN BUSY AT AKRON

Akron, O., Mar. 15.—Bobby Quinn, former president of the Ohio State league and business manager of the Columbus A. A. club, is at Akron getting things in shape here for the coming season. M. A. Dunigan, who managed the business end of the Lima club last season, will be in charge at Akron. It is probable that Arch Osborne, who managed the East Liverpool club in the O. & P. league last season and who was the leading pitcher of the league, may be sent to Akron should he fail to deliver at Columbus.

Expect Great Things From Farrell

Memphis, Tenn., Mar. 15.—Memphis fans are counting a great deal on "Red" Farrell, both as a fielding star and batting phenom. Farrell has accepted terms with Memphis and will soon be in harness. If his habits do not interfere the red topper will show the southerners some things this summer.

Farrell, it will be recalled played with Marion last season, being purchased by the New York Americans and later turned over to Memphis for further seasoning.

FRED HUNTER REPORTS AT K. C. THIS WEEK

Fred Hunter has been notified to report to Kansas City this week. He has ordered his ticket sent on and will soon be in training. Everybody wants to see Fred make good. — Chillicothe News-Advertiser.

MIDGETS WANT TO PLAY LOCAL LEAGUE TEAM

The Hans Midgets have sent a communication to the directors of the Portsmouth league team asking for a Sunday date during training season. As the Midgets are composed of popular fellows and crack ball players as well, they would doubtless prove a great drawing card and it is quite likely they will be given a date. The proposition was submitted to the manager of the Midgets, William Boyles.

ASHLAND READY FOR THE HOT AIR LEAGUE

Ashland, Ky., promoters of a team in the Spinney "Hot Air League" will meet on Tuesday night to formulate plans for financing a team.

GRANDMA KENNEDY IN ANOTHER DRAW

Atlanta, Ga., Mar. 15.—Plunging and clinching and hammering with the ferocity of a pair of Montana catamounts, "Fighting Dick" Kennedy, of New York, and "Knockout Jimmy" Brown, of Chicago, fought 10 rounds to a draw at the Academy Athletic club, 117 1-2 Whitehall street, which was recently opened by Harry Staten.

There was no love-making at any stage of the game for those two lads. It was slug and clinch and break and slug again from the tap of the gong to the close of the tenth round, and when Referee Ed Clapp, after cogitating for a few moments, announced the fight a draw, Kennedy's fight blood rose up some more and he almost threw a nervous fit because the decision did not come his way.

In point of blows exchanged and the fierceness and speed with which they were delivered, Kennedy probably deserved a decision. But Brown carried the fight to the enemy, he never slowed up or showed a disposition to fly the distress signal, and showed a gameness which merited admiration.

It was a good fight, a fierce fight and a fight on the level. Both wanted a decision and they wanted it badly, and if that pair meets again there will be something stirring in pugilistic circles.

22 Players Sign With Lancaster

Lancaster, O., March 15.—The following is a list of the players already signed by the local baseball company to play during the coming season:

Al McClintock, Columbus, infield.

Alfred Smith, Zanesville, outfield.

Samuel Adams, Portsmouth, second base.

Russell Young, Yellow Springs, third base.

Everett Nutter, Roseville, outfield.

O. P. Rudolph, Sugar Grove, outfield.

Ralph W. Young, Amanda, outfield.

W. H. Bowland, Smitaville, Texas, third base.

C. L. Mills, Bellbrook, outfield.

Rolla M. George, Columbus, outfield.

Bert Rhoads, Columbus, outfield.

Oscar F. Birkhold, Rosewood, catcher or first base.

Bert Jones, New Straitsville, outfield.

Bob Long, New Straitsville, catcher.

Harley R. Grandle, Leesburg, a pitcher recommended by Red White; he said Mr. Grandle looked better to him than when he played with Lancaster.

Charles Runnels, Sabina, pitcher.

Walter Spahr, Xenia, southpaw, won 13 out of 15; beat the Dayton Central league, 3 to 2; Dayton, 7 hits.

L. L. Chaney, Newcomerstown, won 29 out of 33, pitcher.

Mat Theisen, Rose Farm, pitcher.

Floyd Manger, Baltimore, a pitcher.

Fred Ervan, Cambridge, shortstop.

Fred Yost, outfield.

SPENCER GETS A HOMER

Fort Worth, Tex., March 15.—In the best played game of the exhibition series here, the Giants today blanked the Panthers, 10 to 0. The New Yorkers made four home runs in the first two innings and scored eight runs.

In the first inning Shafer hit the ball over the fence and in the second Fletcher, Herzog and Spencer did likewise. Meyers and Dixon each made three baggers. Dickson pitched the first six innings so well that Fort Worth got but one hit off him. Scores by innings:

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Batteries: Dickson, Buck and Meyers; Weeks, Burk, Ash and Powell.

"Red" Prierke, formerly with the Mountain State team at Huntington has been signed by Mansfield.

Epidemic Stamped Out.

Williamson, W. Va., is now happy, the typhoid fever epidemic that scourged that city having been stamped out.

OHIO STATER MARRIES AND QUITS GAME

Columbus Grove, O., March 15.—Jimmy Smith of Leipsic baseball pitcher and Miss Mayme Orlans of Upper Sandusky, will be married Monday, April 14. Smith says he will retire from the base ball field forever. He has played with Lima in the Ohio State league, with Alliance in the Ohio-Pennsylvania and with Galveston of the Texas State league.

Central League Holds Meeting

Dayton, O., March 15.—The annual schedule meeting of the Central league was opened in this city this morning, every team on the circuit being represented. It is understood that the special committee will report adversely on the waiver proposition and that recommendation will be made that double-headers be played on the first trip and on the day following the postponement. It is practically settled that the season will open May 4.

BIERHALTER OFF FOR THE SPRINGS

Columbus, March 15.—Since "Two Bits" Bierhalter is to pay a week's visit to West Baden it might be well to warn him not to attempt to referee any badger fights during his stay.

Bierhalter umpired in the Ohio State league last season and it is hoped those vapor baths will eradicate all partiality from his system. Portsmouth fans are delighted that "Two Bits" won't be back here—ahem!

Eagan Signs His Contract

Hot Springs, March 15.—Clark Griffith is happy now. Yesterday he induced his second baseman, Dick Egan, to sign a Red contract. Egan had been holding out. What the terms were at which he signed were not given, but it is certain he will receive more than was originally offered him.

Chi. Bowlers Are the Best

Chicago is the greatest bowling center in the country if records made at national tournaments year in and year out are taken as the basis. The Windy City chaps are always there or thereabouts. The Cosmos with a 2880 and William Richter with a 692 are almost sure to take two of the three events at Detroit. The records of other tourneys will always show Chicago to be near the top.

New style spring collars at Haas'.

Theatrical

The Majestic.

The Majestic is in line with another first rate program for the first three nights this week and from the applause that followed each act one would surmise the bill met with the approval of the crowd, which was there in large numbers at each performance.

Tom Helfron, singer, acrobatic dancer and high kicker, is a one legged man and he gave some remarkably clever stunts on a crutch that won the admiration of the spectators, besides contributing a line of jokes that produced much laughter.

Bros. Senzell, the Parisian Apolos, are a pair of clever performers and their skill on the trapeze and rings would be hard to excel.

Ventriloquism is in main forte of Little Christine, who has the art of throwing her voice, down to a nicety.

Ed and Clarence Hays appear in a comedy musical turn that is filled with fun and they make some catchy music on the oddest of odd instruments. A negro character puts ginger in the act, springing a jumble of nonsense that drew rounds of applause.

The pictures are simply great, 2000 feet of films of comical pictures being run at each performance which is alone worth the price.

The Orpheum.

Forry L. Brott & Co. are featuring the Orpheum bill for the first half in a comedy sketch entitled "Married for Money," that is one continuous round of funny situations and it scored a tremendous hit. It is a side-splitting humorous piece written along clever lines in which a love affair has an inning with a fitting climax. The characters are talented actors and present the sketch in fine style, and were encored to a finish.

Jim London is a versatile comedian, who gives the audience all kinds of chances to laugh over absurd and witty sayings and his singing is above the average.

Albertus and Altus are a team of jugglers that deserve to rank in the front row. Their work is great and very entertaining and goes with the rush of a cyclone, being full of action.

Arnold and Rickey are there with bells on when it comes to singing and talking and they have a keen perception of the right kind of vaudeville to entertain.

Some very good pictures concluded a most splendid program.

STILL AHEAD IN DOUBLES

Detroit, Mich., March 15.—Eight days have passed and A. L. Dalker and Ed Wetterman of Cincinnati remain at the top of the two-man standing with 1231. The nearest approach among the six squads of doubles that rolled during the day was by the St. Louis pair, H. Schlenk and H. Baum, with 1192. Baum was high man with an average of 203 1-3, having met with five wide open splits and no errors.

Ed Wetterman, who with his partner, stand first in the doubles, is a cousin to Mrs. Adolph Horth of this city. He is well known here, having visited in the Peerless city many times.

Clint Platt is quite ill at his home on West Second street and his two children, Jesse and Hazel, are laid up with measles.

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Girl's Body Is Found In Lake

MISS HELEN BLOODGOOD.

Information Wanted

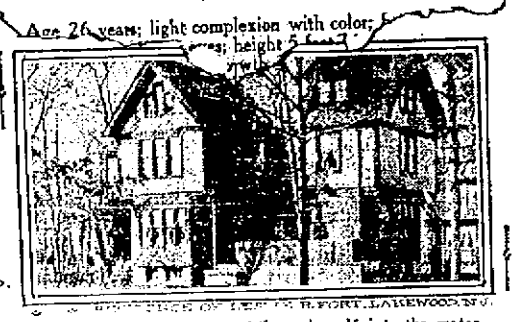
as to the whereabouts of

Miss Helen A. Bloodgood

who escaped from her parents' home, 712 Madison avenue, Lakewood at 4.30 a. m.

Wednesday, March 9, 1910

Age 26 years; light complexion with color; [illegible] eyes; height 5 feet [illegible]



New York, Mar. 14.—Clad only in the night gown she wore when she disappeared, the body of Miss Helena Bloodgood was found in Lake Carafulgo by two tugs which had been dragging the bottom for three days. The body lay in about 12 feet of water, 30 feet from the shore, near a small rustic span known as Kissing bridge. It was fully identified by the two nurses who had charge of Miss Bloodgood when she fled last Wednesday night from the cottage of Leslie R. Fort, son of Governor Fort, of New Jersey. The cursory examination by Coroner Hagaman gave no indications of murder and it is supposed the girl ran afoot through the woods to the lake, half a mile away, and threw herself into the water.

Miss Bloodgood's parents had been scouring the neighborhood in automobiles in search of their daughter and were away when the body was found. When notified they were both prostrated.

Many thousands of handbills like the one in the cut had been distributed over New York, New Jersey, Delaware and Pennsylvania.

JUDGE BLAIR IN CHICAGO

Judge A. Z. Blair is away on a campaigning tour and rumor has it that he is in Chicago dealing mighty blows at the rum traffic as one of the field agents of the Anti-Saloon league. Chicago is to vote soon on a proposition to eliminate the saloons and it is not unlikely that our judge is fighting with the eliminators.

NEWSPAPER DEAL IS PENDING IN ASHLAND

Huntington, W. Va., March 15.—Negotiations are pending by which before the week is over the Daily Independent, an evening paper, will absorb the Daily Commercial, a morning paper, established by Chas. S. Kirk, and Ashland will thus have but one newspaper. It is also stated that by agreement with Ashland merchants the Independent will refuse advertisements hereafter from Ironton and Huntington merchants, who have, in the past, been liberal patrons. Ashland merchants have agreed, in return, to take a certain amount of advertising each year in the Independent.

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GRAND SHOW CANCELS, HAS CLOSED SEASON

Florence Davis, who with her company was booked for the Grand Saturday night, will not be here. She has closed her season and her company has disbanded.

Many Conversions At Second Church

The evangelistic meeting at the Second Presbyterian church Monday night was very successful so far as results were concerned. A large number were converted, and it looks as though a revival [illegible] is taking place at Second church.

The afternoon meetings are proving to be a great attraction, as Evangelist Davidson is a postmaster in the art of conducting daylight meetings. Friday afternoon the Evangelist will give his lecture on the Holy Land. It will be free of charge and the public is invited to attend.

Tonight Evangelist Davidson will preach a sermon full of hot shots. The evangelist himself says that it will be the plainest sermon of all." The topic will be, "Why Some Seekers are not Finders."

Monday evening Evangelist Davidson preached on "The Question and the Answer."

"The most important question ever asked was 'what must I do to be saved?'" he declared. Evangelist Davidson then told two or three stories of people in wrecks being saved. He then went on to say we are not in burning buildings or wrecked ships. "Why must we be saved? There is something worse than hell—sin. Sin makes hell. What must I do to be saved? Some foolish people think that death saves them from sin. The man who suicides to get away from his crime will meet it on the other side.

"Thank God, you can be saved. How are we saved? We are not saved by our emotions. We are saved by the Lord Jesus Christ. In a certain way everybody believes in Jesus Christ."

Evangelist Davidson drew some interesting comparisons between Portsmouth and Boston. He stated that Portsmouth people were not skeptical people, but that Boston people were.

"When you start out to be a Christian, you start out in earnest. There is no one more orthodox than Satan. He believes every word of the Bible. He knows it's true. When some one tells you that the Bible contradicts itself, don't get frightened. I would not have an atom of faith to save me in the next world if it did not have the power to save me in this world.

"Friend, if you have a religion that you are ashamed of, you had better be ashamed of it, for it won't help you any. Around Boston they think if a man is born in Boston, he don't need to be born again."

The evangelist closed with an appeal to be saved.

HOW ROM GOT NEW OFFICE

Washington, D. C., March 15.—Representative Johnson of Ironton, whose secretary, William Meyers, made a mad race against time to present an application for the office room of the deceased William C. Lovering, member from Massachusetts, has been assigned the room. The first applicant, Joseph W. Fordney of Michigan, decided he did not want the room after all and the Ohioan being next on the list was permitted to take it. He moved a few days ago. The quarters occupied by Representative Lovering were very desirable, the room being on the third floor, west corridor, of the house office building. A large number applied for the room, applications coming from the hour of the former owner's death for a week. The Ohio member applied about a half hour after news of Mr. Lovering's death reached the capitol.

PREPARE FOR INSPECTION

Company K is making great preparations for the annual inspection which will be held Wednesday, March 23d. It is not yet known who the inspecting officers will be, but there will be an officer from the United States army and a state officer.

The date for the annual banquet has not yet been set and it is not likely that it will be held before some time in April. It is the plan of the company to do away with the annual banquet and in the future to have them quarterly.

TWO NEW TRAINS TO BE PUT ON BY B. & O. S.-W.

Chillicothe, March 15.—The B. & O. S.-W. will probably put on two new passenger trains in the near future. The trains will run between New York City and Cincinnati and will be east bound and westbound. The westbound train will run through this city at about 9:30 a. m. in time to connect with the noon westbound passenger out of Cincinnati at 11:30 a. m.

The eastbound train will connect with the St. Louis passenger train in Cincinnati at about 8:15 p. m. and will go through here at about 10:45 p. m.

Called To Chillicothe.

Mrs. Israel Beideman of Portsmouth is the guest of Mrs. Tobias Bateman of West Main street. She was called here by the illness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. William Beideman, whose condition is very grave. There is no change today in her condition.—Chillicothe News.

Goes To Hot Springs.

Levi D. York has gone to Hot Springs, Arkansas, for a several weeks stay.

2 Boozy Ones Landed In Jail

Frank Ross, a Scioto ville gardener and Sam Simpson, a former railroad man, staggered along the streets arm in arm on Monday evening until they attracted the attention of the police.

Simpson got smart sleepy after reaching headquarters and had to be put into a cell by main force, Sergeant Buckley taking him by the hair of the neck and jerking him off his feet. They were released later in the night after putting up security for their fines.

Musical Comedy Next Tuesday

"The Cat and the Fiddle," the new musical extravaganza will come to the Grand Tuesday, March 22. It is claimed that this attraction is an elaborate novelty, the characters being entirely new to the stage in many instances. The play takes its name from the old Mother Goose tale and delights both old and young. "The Cat" is a stage impersonation being one of the funniest and interesting bits of pantomime acting in a long time. Clas. A. Nelson, the Elmore Sisters, Theresa Miller, Florence Willis and many other well known stage favorites, together with a large and beautiful chorus, are promised.

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ORDINANCE,

Number 1490.

TO VACATE MASSIE STREET FROM FRONT STREET TO SECOND STREET.

Whereas, On the 8th day of December, A. D., 1909, a petition by persons owning lots in the immediate vicinity of Massie Street from Front to Second Street was presented to Council praying that said street between the points named be vacated, as the same appears upon the original plat of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio; and notice of the pendency and prayer of said petition has been given as required by law by publication in The Portsmouth Daily Times, a newspaper printed and of general circulation within said City of Portsmouth, for six consecutive weeks, ending January 14, 1910;

Whereas, Council upon hearing is satisfied that there is good cause for said vacation as prayed for, that it will not be detrimental to the general interest, and ought to be made;

Be It Ordained by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, as follows:—

Section 1. That Massie Street from Front Street to Second Street, as the same appears upon the original plat of said City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, be and the same is hereby vacated.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed March 8, 1910.

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It's time for Spring Shirts and we're ready for the rush. We have the most refined and handsomest spring Shirts that you can imagine. They're beauties. Regular or Coat style. Neat stripes and figures. Madras, Percale, etc. More patterns than you'll care to see. All new this season.

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We have picked the flowers of the season in spring Neckwear and beauties they are. We are showing many new and handsome silks that are confined exclusively to us. Silks from the best foreign and domestic looms.

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